

Uphold Unemployment and Old Age Provisions of Security Act

SUPREME COURT IN DECISIONS ON CONSTITUTIONALITY

Opinions Give Administration Victories in Major Cases

FIVE TO FOUR VOTE ON INSURANCE

Both Delivered by Justice Cordozo — Conjecture on Court Issue

WASHINGTON, May 24. — The administration's prized social security legislation, intended to protect workers against another depression, and to provide for them in old age, emerged unscathed today from its constitutional test by the supreme court.

In epochal decisions, the tribunal sustained provisions of the federal measure providing unemployment insurance and old age pensions. It then upheld state unemployment compensation laws to supplement the federal act.

This major administration victory gave it a clean sweep in its litigation before the high tribunal this term. Promptly some opponents predicted that it meant defeat for President Roosevelt's program to put "new blood" on the court.

Administration supporters, however, refused to concede the fight. Justice Stone delivered the 5 to 4 opinion upholding the Alabama unemployment compensation act, similar to those enacted by 45 other states and by the District of Columbia. It was a test case of the legislation.

The provisions of the unemployment insurance provisions of the federal act were upheld by a 5 to 4 vote and those granting old age pensions by a 7 to 2 ballot. Both decisions were delivered by Justice Cardozo.

Early this term, the high tribunal sustained by a 4 to 4 vote a similar law enacted by New York. The evenly divided vote was due to the absence of Justice Stone, then ill.

The four justices who dissented to the federal unemployment insurance and the state unemployment compensation decisions were Van Devanter, McReynolds, Sutherland and Butler — those generally described by the administration as "conservative." Justice Cardozo delivered the majority opinion in these cases.

Only Justices McReynolds and Butler dissented to the old age pension ruling.

In his opinion Justice Stone asserted that the Alabama law "on its face and as applied to appellees, is subject to no constitutional infirmity."

Approximately 27,800,000 workers and 2,700,000 employers are taxed to provide the old age benefits which start in 1942 when the recipient becomes 65.

Forty-five states and the District of Columbia have passed measures, supplementing the federal act to protect 18,688,000 persons against future unemployment.

The vote on the unemployment insurance section was 5 to 4 with Justices Van Devanter, Sutherland, Butler and McReynolds dissenting. Upheld Pensions 7 to 2

The tribunal upheld the old age pensions provisions by a 7 to 2 ballot, with Justices McReynolds and Butler dissenting on the ground that the legislation was "repugnant to the tenth amendment" and violated state rights.

Word of the court's action quickly passed on Capitol Hill where President Roosevelt's court reorganization bill was pending. Some said the court's ruling would defeat the measure; others took the contrary position.

Speaking for himself and six other justices in ruling on the old age pension section of the security law, Cardozo said:

"The purge of nationwide calamity that began in 1929 has taught us many lessons. Not the least is the solidarity of interests that may once have seemed to be divided."

"The problem is plainly national in area and dimensions. Moreover, laws of the separate states cannot deal with it effectively. Congress, at least, had a basis for that belief."

"States and local governments are often lacking in the resources that are necessary to finance an adequate program of security for the aged."

"This is brought out with a wealth of illustration in recent studies of the problem."

"Apart from the failure of resources, states and local governments are at times reluctant to increase so heavily the burden of taxation to be borne by their residents or fear of placing themselves in a position of economic disadvantage as compared with neighbors or

TO FACE MURDER CHARGE IN KILLING

RICHMOND, Mo., May 24.—Arthur Rogers, Ray County prosecuting attorney, said he would file a first degree murder charge today against L. B. Wilkes, 29, of Centralia, Mo., who surrendered shortly after the fatal shooting of Alfred Thomas Adams, 26, also of Centralia, Saturday night.

Rogers said Wilkes said in a statement in which he said he shot Adams when he saw him with Wilkes' wife who was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Skiles, near here.

Sheriff Wilbur J. Perdue said Wilkes told him he shot Adams because he was "separating me from my wife."

COL. RODDA IN AN ADDRESS ON HIS TRAVELS ABROAD

Speaks Before Rotarians LaVonne Wright Reads Invitation To France

Rotarians, at their regular noon-day meeting at Hotel Bothwell today, heard an unusually interesting talk, made by Colonel Bertram Rodda, of the Salvation Army, a member of the Milwaukee Rotary club, and an international traveler, well informed on international affairs.

The business session of the club was presided over by C. A. Wright, club president, whose young daughter, LaVonne Wright, 11 years old, read a letter to the club from the president of a Rotary club in France, inviting the Sedalians who might attend the international convention in Nice, France, to take the side trip to this nearby town.

The letter was first read in French then translated in English. LaVonne, who is a student of French under Mrs. Arthur Kain read the letter in French and translated it. She was highly commended by members of the club for her knowledge and understanding of that language.

Guests, other than members (Continued On Page Five)

\$100 FINES FOR CARELESS DRIVERS

Two men arrested Saturday night on charges of negligent and careless driving were fined \$100 and costs this morning by Judge Bell Hutchinson, justice of the peace. They were Carl Davis and Clyde Sneathen. Both pleaded guilty to the charges and were then fined, which with costs totalling \$111.20 each were paid.

They were arrested by State Highway Trooper Paul E. Corl and Deputy Sheriff Clyde Coppers.

John W. Weigand, charged with careless and negligent driving is to appear before Justice of the Peace W. R. Large this afternoon as is Clyde Forth also charged with careless and negligent driving.

Weigand was arrested by Trooper Corl and Deputy Sheriff Coppers while Forth was arrested by the State Highway Patrolman and Sheriff W. L. Marlin.

Bothwell Hospital Notes Mrs. C. E. Fair, La Monte, was admitted for medical treatment. Mrs. Ora Sticker, Stover, was admitted for surgery.

Will To Probate The will of the late Care Johnson was filed in probate court today. Her estate, real and personal, was left to her two sons, Aaron and Emmett Johnson. Aaron was named executor.

J. P. Gass Dies



Former superintendent of public schools in Sedalia passed away at his home here this morning.

PRESIDENT ASKS FOR A FLEXIBLE LAW UPON LABOR

Desires Minimum Wages, Hours Limit and Child Labor Products Ban

CONNERY PRESENTS BILL TO HOUSE

Hours and Wages Schedule Is Left For Congress Action

WASHINGTON, May 24.—President Roosevelt asked congress today to enact a flexible labor law, guaranteeing to labor "a fair day's pay for a fair day's work."

Immediately after his message was read at the capitol a bill was introduced by Chairman Connery (D-Mass) of the house labor committee and Chairman Black (D-Ala) of the senate labor committee to put the President's proposals into effect.

As first described by Connery the bill called for a 40-cent an hour standard for minimum wages and a 35 to 40-hour week standard for maximum hours.

A short time later, however, Connery produced a substitute measure which left the pay rate and the length of the work week blank, thus putting up to congress responsibility for fixing the wage and hour standards.

Connery said this change, by which the administration asked congress to set its own labor standards, was determined upon at the last minute.

No Specific Recommendation In his message the President refrained from any specific recommendations, but set this general goal for congress:

"Our problem," he said, "is to work out in practice those labor standards which will permit the maximum but prudent employment of our human resources to bring within the reach of the average man and woman a maximum of goods and of services conducive to the fulfillment of the promise of American life."

Connery gave this description of the proposed law:

"Briefly stated, without regard to the qualifying detail, the bill proposes to bar from the channels of interstate commerce the products of child labor and of workers employed for unduly low wages, unduly long hours, or under conditions which violate the rights of labor by the use of strike-breakers or spies."

The law would be administered by a five-man labor standards board which would have wide powers to vary the standards established, according to the peculiar needs of individual industries or groups of industries.

Except when the board ordered otherwise employers of 15 or less persons would be exempt from the provisions of the bill.

The proposed law would draw its authority from the power of the federal government to regulate interstate commerce and a considerable section of the 42-page bill was devoted to detailing how employment of workers under substandard labor conditions affected commerce between the states.

The President explained that many industries could not be reached by any sort of federal legislation and urged that states seek to enact their own regulations.

"No state," he said, "is justified in sitting idly by and expecting the federal government to meet state responsibilities for those labor conditions with which the state may effectively deal without fear of un-

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EARLY SCORES IN THE BIG LEAGUES

National League	
New York000 02
Pittsburgh010 00
Hubbell and Mancuso; Brandt and Todd.	
Brooklyn	.....01 00
Cincinnati	.....00 00
Butcher and Phelps; L. Moore and V. Davis.	
Boston	.....100 00
Chicago	.....010 00
Fette and Lopez; Carleton and Hartnett.	
Home run: Garms, 1st.	
Philadelphia at St. Louis, will play later date.	

American League	
Detroit	.....02 00
Washington	.....11 00
Lawson and Cochran; Newsom and Millies.	
St. Louis	.....011 002 3
Philadelphia	.....211 020 0
A. Thomas and Hemsley; Nelson and Hayes.	
Cleveland	.....000 000 0
New York	.....000 004 2
Andrews, Hudlin and Pytlak; Chandler and Dickey.	
Chicago	.....003 010 00
Boston	.....202 140 00
Rigney, Dietrich and Sewell; Renza; Walberg and Desautels.	
Home run: Fox, 5th.	

JOHN D. ROCKEFELLER'S LATEST



Retired oil capitalist and philanthropist who passed away early Sunday morning at Ormond Beach, Fla., his winter home at "The Casements."

DEADLOCK OVER EVACUATION OF SIT-DOWN MINERS

Assurance on Division of Work Asked by Men at Gillespie

GILLESPIE, Ill., May 24.—With negotiations deadlocked over evacuation, settlement of the sit-down strike of nearly 500 miners in the Superior Coal Company's No. 4 shaft appeared no nearer today after day-long conferences yesterday. Discussions were to be resumed at 10 a. m.

Company officials demanded immediate evacuation of the mine in "the best interests for safety of our employees" while a spokesman for the strikers declared that assurance that "available work will be divided without delay" was necessary before the sit-down would be abandoned.

"The miners' strike committee demands we accept all their demands before they consider withdrawing the men," Fred S. Pfahler, Chicago, president of the coal company said in a statement. "It is my opinion that it is to the best interest for the safety of our employees that they immediately withdraw from the mine."

"Upon their withdrawal, x x x we will enter into negotiations, x x x."

Insist on Work Division That settlement of the strike hinges also upon an agreement as to mechanization of the mines, and division of work, which the strikers announced Thursday formed the principal basis of the demonstration became evident upon issuance of a statement by John Fisher, president of Local No. 1 of the Progressive Miners of America.

"I wish to state my agreement with the statement of Mr. Pfahler that it is possible to mechanize the Superior Coal Company's No. 4 mine without the loss to any man of a job," Fisher said.

"However, the economic effect of mechanization would be quite serious. It is true that the men might retain their jobs, but their income would be reduced at least 40 per cent on an annual basis if the work were divided."

Meanwhile in Cincinnati, Joe Ozanic, president of the Progressive Miners of America, whose demand for evacuation of the mine was rejected by the strikers, applied for an American Federation of Labor charter, indicating a showdown might be forced in the bitter CIO-A. F. L. rivalry. In last Monday's referendum, members of the PMA voted overwhelmingly to affiliate with the Federation.

THREE DROWN AS BOAT CAPSIZES NEAR DAM TUSCUMBIA, Mo., May 24.—William Effert, 45, Leslie Keeth, 25, both of Iberia, and Vera Cox, 25, of Richland, were drowned yesterday when their outboard motor boat capsized in the Osage river at King's bluff, near Bagnell Dam.

Junior C. of C. To Meet The Junior Chamber of Commerce will meet at the Elks Home at 7:30 o'clock tonight.

BACCALAUREATE AT SMITH-COTTON TO GRADUATES

Rev. Willett Refers To Them as "Kings and Queens" in Address

SPECIAL MUSIC FOR PROGRAM

Speaker Urges Pursuit of Those Things that Bring Success

The baccalaureate service for the Smith-Cotton high school graduates was held in the school auditorium Sunday afternoon, the large auditorium decorated in black, white and gold. The stage was lovely with many colorful flowers, peonies, Lydrangea, spirea, lilies, daisies and ferns.

The two hundred six graduates, wearing gray caps and gowns, descended the side balcony steps, and were seated, alphabetically, in the center rows. Some, who were in the a cappella choir, were on the stage.

The sermon was delivered by the Rev. Dwight H. Willett, pastor of the First Baptist church, whose text was "After whom is the King of Israel come out? After whom dost thou pursue? After a dead dog, after a flea?"

The afternoon program was as follows: Professional—"March of Peers"—High school orchestra under the direction of J. T. Alexander.

"Open Our Eyes"—Mac Farlane—Girls' Glee Club under the direction of Mrs. A. R. Beach and accompanied by Mary Schrankler.

Scripture—Rev. R. E. Hurd. Prayer—Rev. Quincy R. Wright. Response—Girls' Glee Club and Boys' Quartet.

Sermon—Rev. Dwight H. Willett. "Service"—Cadman—Boys' Quartet. Benediction—Rev. A. W. Koken-dorfer.

Recessional—"March of Peers"—High School Orchestra. Chance For Leadership

Rev. Willett chose one incident from the life of the first king of Israel. He referred to the graduates as kings and queens, saying also that every man or woman in America today is a potential king or queen. "You have the chance to be the future leaders of society, but this will depend upon your object of pursuit," he stated, adding that Saul made the tragic mistake of pursuing those things that were worthless and trivial.

Those who seek pleasure, he said, as the chief aim in life, should be referred to as "pleasure-chasers," a worthless pursuit. Rev. Willett quotes some of the greatest men on what they say about pleasure: Bulwer—"The life of pleasure makes even the strongest mind frivolous," and Bucher—"More pleasure sought outside of usefulness is fraught with poison."

"There are many today who pursue fame and worldly praise, who are striving for the applause of the world. Such pursuits are unworthy of young people today," replied Rev. Willett. Testimonies of famous men were given:

Burke—"I wouldn't give a peck of refuse wheat for all the fame of the world"; Charles Lamb, "I walk up and down thinking I am happy and knowing I am not"; Robert Browning in "The Patriot" rebukes the fickleness of public acclaim and shows the foolishness of those who make the winning of fame the chief objective of life.

Pursuits that he considered worth while were given as pursuits after high ideals and aims in life. Daniel Webster, Thomas Carlyle, and Joan of Arc were given as examples of high idealism.

After asking the quest "Whom dost thou pursue?" Rev. Willett concluded his fine sermon by saying, "May you follow Christ who is the way, the truth and the life."

Returns From Pistol Shoot State Highway Patrolman H. E. Priess, who has been in Jefferson City the past week attending the Missouri Pistol and Rifleman's Association shoot, returned home Sunday night and resumed his duties this morning.

Patrolman Priess was a member of the Missouri State Highway Patrol team entered in the shoot.

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Rockefeller Dies As He Nears His Ninety-Eighth Birthday

DURATION RECORD BY ASSEMBLY LOOMS

JEFFERSON CITY, May 24.—The legislature entered its 129th day today with major social security legislation tied up in the house and an all-time duration record for a regular session apparently in prospect.

The 148-day mark of 1935 will be equalled June 2, and leaders in the assembly now feel it cannot finish up before June 10 to 12 unless an unusually rapid settlement of the senate and house differences is effected.

LINDBERGH HAVE THIRD SON BORN IN ENGLAND MAY 12

Secrecy as Friends In U. S. Embassy Turned Aside On Inquiries

LONDON, May 24.—First reports of a new Lindbergh baby reached the United States embassy today from the Flying Colonel's home near Weald, Kent.

But the Lindberghs turned aside all inquiries. His closest friends were unable to reach him by telephone.

The reports, however, said Mrs. Lindbergh was in good health. The baby had not been seen by anyone outside the Lindberghs' home, nor has the birth been registered. This need not be done locally until six weeks after birth, and registration at the American consulate is not necessary.

This afternoon, Col. Lindbergh walked through the Kent countryside. His secretary, at his home, "Longbarn," refused to relay telephoned messages.

CLEVELAND, May 24.—(P)—The birth of a third son to Col. and Mrs. Charles A. Lindbergh on coronation night, May 12, was announced today by Miss Anne S. Cutter, Mrs. Lindbergh's aunt.

The baby presumably was born in the rambling English house, "Longbarn," Sevenoaks, Kent, in which the Lindberghs have sought solitude for more than a year. They fled there in December of 1935, before Bruno Richard Hauptmann died in the New Jersey electric chair for the kidnap murder of Charles Augustus Lindbergh, Jr., their first-born.

Secrecy just as deep as that which surrounded the Lindberghs' departure from New York enveloped the home in Kent. All inquiries—some of them from the Colonel's best friends in the United States embassy in London—were turned aside.

Reports reaching the embassy, however, indicated Mrs. Lindbergh's health was good. The baby's name was not known. The parents have six weeks from the date of birth in which to register the fact in Kent.

Col. Lindbergh and Mrs. Lindbergh returned home April 9, about a month before the baby's birth, from a ten weeks' aerial tour of Europe and the east.

Since then they have been in their usual seclusion with their 4-year-old second son, Jon.

NEW YORK, May 24.—Sources close to the family of Col. Charles A. Lindbergh today reported that a son was born coronation night, May 12, to Col. and Mrs. Lindbergh.

The report was circulated widely, but lacked direct confirmation. The Lindberghs are at their English home, Longbarn, Sevenoaks, Kent.

They ended a ten weeks' aerial tour of Europe and the east on April 9.

On Coronation Day—the day, when it now is reported, their third boy was born, Colonel Lindbergh was not in Westminster Abbey for the crowning of King George VI and his Scottish queen.

He declined an invitation—and stayed at home, for reasons obvious now.

May 20 was the tenth anniversary of Lindbergh's epochal flight, alone, from New York to Paris.

But he told a friend: "I did it. Why should I celebrate it?"

BONDS WERE FORFEITED IN THE POLICE COURT In police court this morning Judge Charles W. Bente ordered eight bonds forfeited when as many defendants failed to appear before him to answer to various charges.

Mrs. Henry Heinman, Otto Schreck, Raymond Coleman, Joe Embree, Johnny Jones, white, Marion Lyles and Sam Jackson, both colored were charged with being intoxicated. They had bonds of \$5 each up which were taken.

Henry Nottmeyer of near Cole Camp, charged with speeding on West Broadway, forfeited a \$5 bond when he also failed to make his appearance.

HEART DISEASE BRINGS PASSING EARLY SUNDAY

Simple Private Funeral at Pocantico Hills, N. Y., Wednesday

DEATH SUDDEN TO MASTER OF MILLIONS

Hope of Becoming a Centenarian Came Near To Realization

ORMOND BEACH, Fla., May 24.—John D. Rockefeller, Sr., the founder of the world's greatest "dollar dynasty," lay still in death today—just 26 months short of his cherished desire to live to be 100.

He would have been 98 years old July 8.

The aged capitalist died Sunday morning at 4:05 o'clock E. S. T. (3:05 C. S. T.) at his winter home, "The Casements," drifting peacefully off to his final sleep after complaining that he felt "very tired."

His physician, Dr. Harry L. Merryday, attributed death to sclerotic myocarditis, a hardening of the heart muscles.

The nonagenarian Croesus, who rose from a \$4,500-a-week clerk to mastery of a fortune estimated as high as \$2,400,000,000, died a comparatively "poor man."

A family spokesman said he left a "relatively small, very liquid" estate.

Long ago, since his retirement from active business at the age of 57, he had turned the bulk of his fabulous riches over to his only son, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., or spread, eagled it in philanthropic endowments to the far ends of the earth.

In his life-time, out of the golden torrent that gushed him the sobriquet of the greatest "money titan" in all history, he had given away the amazing sum of \$539,839,000.

Other gifts by his son raised the total to more than \$700,000,000. — A special train was ready today to take the elder Rockefeller's body to his home in Pocantico Hills, N. Y., where a simple private funeral will be held Wednesday. Burial will follow on Thursday in Cleveland, where in 1855 he trudged the streets for six weeks before he landed his first job as a bookkeeper's assistant.

Death Unexpected Death came suddenly and unexpectedly to the aged one-time master of millions. No immediate members of his family were present.

Despite his age, he had been in comparatively good health all winter. He had outlived more than 20 physicians who attended him down the years, and he was pronounced a "fine physical specimen for his age" when examined last June at his Lakewood, N. J., estate by Dr. Eugene Herbenner.

The ravages of nearly a century—the first half passed in tumultuous conflict in amassing his colossal fortune from oil, mines, coal, railroads and a myriad of other fields—had forced him to curtail his activities. He had forsaken his golf, his church-going, and his whimsical

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NOOZIE

ALL PARENTS AGREE. THEY ARE GOOD MODELS FOR THEIR OWN CHILDREN



The Weather

Increasing cloudiness, thunderstorms in northwest portion tonight, and in west and north portions Tuesday. Somewhat warmer tonight.

Lake of Ozarks 23 feet below full reservoir. Sunrise and Sunset Sunrise 4:57 a. m., sunset 7:30 p. m.

The Temperature The temperature at 7 a. m. was 66 degrees above zero; 76 at noon and 76 at 3 p. m.

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WORLD CONTROL OF SUGAR

The five-year sugar agreement recently concluded in London by twenty-two countries is in effect a convention to control the production and distribution of this necessary commodity. The international conference proceeded on the assumption that the free world market would absorb 3,620,000 metric tons of sugar as compared with 6,000,000 tons in 1929 and allots this amount among thirteen exporting countries.

The Soviet Union and Czechoslovakia, says John C. de Wilde in Foreign Bulletin, obtained excessively large quotas as the price of their participation. "Further restriction of the export market is precluded most of all by the undertaking of the United Kingdom, one of the largest sugar importers, to limit its annual production to 618,000 tons and by quotas on the exports of Australia, the Union of South Africa, and British colonies.

"The United States will not reduce the small amount it imports at present from the world market, and the Philippines will continue its exports to the United States under the terms of the Independence act. The agreement also provides for an international council to study sugar problems and adjust quotas to changes in consumption."

Mr. de Wilde emphasizes that the American representative, Norman H. Davis, assured that the United States would retain the reduced sugar tariff now in force even if it should abandon the quota system which at present divides the American market among domestic producers, our insular possessions, Cuba and other foreign countries."

"This pledge is particularly important because a subcommittee of the house of representatives' committee on agriculture has introduced rather drastic changes in the administration bill providing for continuation of existing quotas. The subcommittee has raised the allotment of Louisiana and Florida cane growers by about 100,000 tons and made a corresponding cut in the Cuban quota."

VALUE OF DRIVERS' LICENSE

From the Chicago Daily Tribune.

That Illinois has no drivers' license law generally comes as a surprise to our visitors. While it is true that there is no effective legislation in the majority of the 48 states, the delinquent sisters are those with sparse populations and low automobile registrations. States comparable to Illinois, such as California, Massachusetts, New York, New Jersey and Pennsylvania, have had standard drivers' license laws for years.

The effectiveness of such driver control has proved itself over and over again. Between 1926 and 1935, the states having standard license laws reduced their motor vehicle fatalities from 25 to 19.7 for each 10,000,000 gallons of gasoline consumed. During the same period, the non-license states in the Middle West increased the death rate from 20.5 to 21.5, while the record of the Southern states advanced from 24 to 32. In the Far Western group, highway deaths rose from 21.5 in 1926 to 24.8 in 1935.

Our State now leads the nation in per capita casualties. State Representatives must heed the call of humanity. Their constituents expect them to act at this session.

The Nazis are considering means to make the populace chew its food longer. A clam in the clam chowder does it.

DISUNITY IN SPAIN

From St. Louis Post-Dispatch.

"Invertebrate Spain," a book written during Alfonso's reign by the noted philosopher, Ortega y Gasset, and published recently in this country, appraises the handicaps to progress in that country as "the rise of regionalism, sectionalism, separatism," and the dogged individualism of the masses, which leads them to refuse leadership. As applied to the present situation, these characteristics lead many observers to doubt that the Spanish people will ever accept Communist dominance. They are characteristics, too, that account for the revolts behind the lines on both sides, and for the recent shake-up in the Valencia Cabinet.

The rebellion of Anarchists in Catalonia shows the zeal of this faction, or a formidable section thereof, to put its peculiar theories into effect, even though the united front is sacrificed and an advantage is given to the common enemy, the Fascist rebels. As a result of this revolt, the Largo Caballero Cabinet has resigned, and a Cabinet headed by Dr. Juan Negrin, a moderate Socialist, has taken its place. The new Government is more conservative as compared with its predecessor, in that it includes no Anarchists or Syndicalists and is built around Republican, Basque Nationalist and Socialist leaders.

This country learned long ago, when it fought to establish a democratic system, that in union there is strength. To drive home this lesson is the major task of the Spanish Government's new leaders.

GOVERNMENT, AMERICAN STYLE

From St. Joseph Gazette.

When King George VI and his queen were crowned in London the other day, with the greatest display of pageantry the world has seen in this generation, most of the world read about it. The exception was in Italy, where the Mussolini-controlled newspapers were permitted only to mention that England had crowned a king on May 12. The reason was that British newspapers had made fun of the rout of Italian troops in the Spanish civil war. If Duce's display of petulance was silly, but it shows how dictators work.

A glance at the map of Europe discloses that Italy is not the only spot black with absolutism. In Russia, Germany, Spain, Portugal, Austria, Yugoslavia, Poland, Rumania, Bulgaria, Latvia and Estonia it is forbidden to print, or even to read—or to think—that which is frowned upon by the government. British newspapers are restricted by tradition and the press of France is unreliable, but they enjoy a degree of liberty unknown elsewhere on the continent.

Yet there are those in America who dally with the idea of dictatorship in place of democracy, which emphasizes that we should resist being flimflammed by the specious attractions of Europe's stupid and reactionary experiments. Democracy thinks what it pleases, prints what it chooses, reads what it will and says whatever it wants to say. Its kind of government we like.

MORE HOUSES WOULD BE BUILT

Sumner H. Slichter in the May Atlantic.

There are about 25 million houses in the United States. The replacement demand for housing is small because the average life of a house is more than fifty years. Improvements in design and material, and reduction in cost sufficient to reduce the average life of a house to thirty-five years, would create an enormous replacement demand for housing.

Suppose that by a series of improvements the cost of a house which is now \$4,000 was reduced to \$2,500, and suppose that the \$2,500 house was substantially superior in design and materials. Such a reduction in cost is not unthinkable. It is far less than the reduction made during the last thirty years in the cost of automobiles.

I do not venture to predict precisely how much the replacement demand for housing would be increased by a 37½ per cent cut in the cost of construction, accompanied by improvements in design and materials. The increase would not seem extravagant to predict that the replacement demand might be stepped up to 500,000 or 600,000 houses a year.

Granted substantial technological progress, the building industry might be kept busy for twenty or thirty years replacing most of the present houses in America with better-planned, better constructed, more convenient dwellings. It all depends upon how rapidly the engineers and others improve the product and reduce its cost.

By the time another coronation rolls around, perhaps, we shall not only have transatlantic television but be able to smell the horses.

The MOUTHPIECE



Now go on with the story:

CHAPTER 9

"IF I ASK her to marry me now, it's ten to one she'll refuse," Asson pointed out to Lutman.

"But if you wait until she really knows you," explained the Colonel, "it'll be a million to one. But she won't refuse, unless I'm very much mistaken. I've been talking to the mother and making a few inquiries. They haven't paid their bill for a month, and the manager is getting restive. I've seen to it that if the bill isn't paid he'll get a great deal more restive, and I've let the mother know that you're an extremely wealthy young man who is suffering the discomforts of a vile hotel simply for the sake of being with her charming daughter."

"You've been busy, Lutman, haven't you?"

"I've also insinuated to the worthy Mrs. Smith," continued Lutman, "that in the event of her daughter marrying you, there would be a very handsome allowance for your mother-in-law. She said that all she cared about was Jacqueline's happiness, and tried to make me say how much the allowance would be. The Colonel's smile returned. 'That's the position, my dear James,' he said, 'and nothing now remains to be done but to ask the girl to marry you. Mother will regard you as a gold-sent end if the daughter doesn't, and I can't see Miss Jacqueline being allowed to turn you down. Make yourself as much like a gentleman as possible and ask her tonight.'"

"Look here, Lutman, that ought to be left to me. . . ."

"I'm not arguing, Jim. I'm telling you that you're to ask her tonight. He took a ring from his pocket and handed it to Asson. 'I shall look for that on her finger in the morning.' He rose, smiling. 'You still don't fancy your chances, eh, Jim?'"

"I'm not as cocksure about it as you are, Lutman. Jacqueline isn't one of those moonlight-and-kisses girls, you take it from me. I've an idea it's going to be darned hard to swing a 'yes' out of her."

Lutman nodded.

"All right, leave it to me," he said. "I'll see if I can arrange for a little more pressure."

The pressure came at dinner that evening. Mrs. Smith, having studied the wine list, laid it down and turned to the waiter.

"A bottle of No. 127," she said. As the waiter withdrew, she smiled across at Jacqueline and encountered a disapproving frown.

"Anything wrong, Jacqueline?" The girl shrugged.

"Only that when we can't pay our bill it hardly seems necessary to waste money on bottles of wine."

"Graves, dear—quite inexpensive. We can't really deny ourselves every little luxury just because I don't choose to pay my bill on the terrace. To hear you talk, Jacqueline, anyone would imagine that we were absolute paupers."

"Well, aren't we?"

"Certainly not," said her mother emphatically. "I should be sorry to think I couldn't have a bottle of wine when I fancy one. And if I couldn't afford it, I shouldn't order it. You seem to have got the foolish idea into your head, Jacqueline, that I can't pay my bill."

"I'm not the only one with that idea, mother. The manager's got it, too, hasn't he?"

"No, dear, I'm sure he hasn't. These foreigners are always a little excitable, but he knows quite well that I shall pay him. . . ."

"In due course?" She shook her head. "It's no use trying to keep it up, mother. We can't even get credit for a bath now."

Mrs. Smith gave that sudden significant turn of her head.

"This evening," said Jacqueline, "I went to the bathroom and was told by the chambermaid that I couldn't have a bath unless I paid spot cash for it. The manager's orders, she said."

Her mother frowned.

"My dear, I can't believe—there's evidently some mistake. I shall see the manager immediately after dinner."

She paused as the waiter came to the table, and glanced at him.

"The manager presents his compliments, madam," said the waiter, "and if madam will very kindly pay for the wine now, he will be delighted to supply it."

Mrs. Smith raised her eyebrows. "Really," she began in her most freezing voice. And then suddenly Jacqueline was on her feet, her cheeks crimson and her eyes blazing.

"No," she exclaimed. "We don't want the wine—we won't have the wine. You can tell the manager."

"Very good, madam. I will inform the manager that the wine is not required," said the waiter, and hurried away with an understanding nod.

Jacqueline faced her mother.

"For heaven's sake, mother, after that—if you haven't had enough, I have. If you don't mind being insulted and humiliated, I do. I can't stand any more of it."

She turned abruptly and, with her gaze fixed on the carpet, hurried from the dining room.

Colonel Lutman, seated at a table in the corner, adjusted his monocle and glanced at Jim Asson.

"You saw that, James?"

Asson nodded.

"The pressure," explained the Colonel. "The manager has taken my tip and refused to supply wine except for ready money, and Miss Jacqueline has gone into the lounge to gnaw her knuckles and tell herself that she can't stand any more of it. At such a moment, I fancy, the prospect of marriage even with Mr. James Asson will seem like a ray of hope and a glimpse of paradise. Hadn't you better be going?"

Asson frowned.

"Hang it, Lutman, I'm only halfway through my dinner!"

"So much the better, James," interrupted Lutman. "It will add a touch of realism to your hungry look. Go, and get a move on."

Asson rose and followed Jacqueline from the room.

Colonel Lutman was more or less correct in his psychology. Jacqueline, seated in a secluded corner of the lounge, was not actually gnawing her knuckles, but she was frowning and smoking a cigarette furiously, jerking it to and from her lips with quick, impatient movements, and restlessly tapping off imaginary ash with her finger.

"Hello, Jacqueline!"

She glanced up to find Jim Asson smiling down at her. It struck her at that moment that he had quite a pleasant smile and a good set of teeth; but she felt that, even in a third-rate hotel, he need not have had that flower in the buttonhole of his dress coat, and that he might have worn a dinner jacket like everyone else.

"Hello, Jim!"

"All alone?"

"I was."

There was no hint of a smile on her face or of welcome in her greeting, and Jim Asson hesitated, half inclined to leave her and await a more auspicious moment; and then, remembering that time was an important factor, and Lutman a sarcastic devil, he seated himself beside her.

"If you're going to try to be sociable, Jim," said Jacqueline, "please don't. I don't feel like being sociable. I feel like kicking you."

(To Be Continued)



WASHINGTON—Behind the resignation of Justice Willis Van Devanter were months of delicate overcovert negotiations and a sharp tug of war.

From the moment the President launched his judicial reorganization plan, certain critical congressional leaders began feeling out their friends on the Supreme Court regarding the possibility of retirements. They felt that the voluntary withdrawal of two or three conservative justices would cut the ground from under Roosevelt and "wash up" his bill.

Foremost in these behind-the-scenes maneuvers was Representative Hutton Summers of Texas, veteran chairman of the House Judiciary Committee and author of the recently enacted law permitting justices to retire on full pay.

Of the five justices 75 years old or over—Brandeis, Van Devanter, Sutherland, McReynolds and Hughes—Van Devanter was the only one to indicate any open-mindedness toward retirement. Brandeis and Sutherland made it clear they would not quit while the Court was under fire. Hughes and McReynolds let it be known they had not thought of resigning then or later.

Van Devanter expressed keen interest in Summers' retirement measure. He explained that for several years he had been considering leaving the bench but had not felt financially able to do so. Retirement on full pay might change the picture.

The Summers act became law March 1, and from then on Van Devanter was under quiet but persistent pressure to announce his resignation at once.

Tug of War

At first the generalissimo directing the fight against the President's bill were strong for the idea of Supreme Court retirements.

But as they gained strength they changed their minds. And in recent weeks some of them vigorously opposed such a step. They contended that they had the President licked, and the thing to do was to beat him squarely on the issue he had raised.

However, Summers and several other close friends of Van Devanter persisted—and won out.

When Van Devanter finally informed Chief Justice Hughes of his decision to resign, several of the anti-administration leaders also got wind of it. Whereupon ensued a terrific sub rosa drive to persuade Van Devanter to stay put.

His colleagues on the bench, led by Hughes, and the oppositionists in the Senate pleaded with him not to quit until the President's bill had been disposed of. Van Devanter stood by his guns, but he made one concession to Hughes.

His original intention was to resign at the conclusion of the Court's decision day, May 17. He had completed his work, had no other decisions to prepare and was ready to withdraw. But Hughes urged him to remain on the bench until the expiration of the Court's current term.

Van Devanter agreed, and dated his retirement as of June 2.

Note—Hughes' anxiety to keep Carson is now Consumers' Council

"JUST TOWN TALK"

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A CERTAIN GENTLEMAN	HE ATE
WHOM I BELIEVE	HIS WHOLE PORTION
DRIVES ONE	AND ENJOYED IT
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on the National Bituminous Coal Commission, entrusted with the job of protecting the consumers of bituminous coal. To this end, he has called a hearing on the price of coal.

The meeting is set for June 5, and the other day Carson looked over the list of the coal consumers he is to defend.

At the top of the list stood the Jones and Laughlin Steel Company, Republic Steel, Inland Steel, and several companies owned by Andy Mellon. Altogether, the list comprised 75 per cent of the bituminous coal consumers.

And Carson, for the first time in his life, will have to defend their interests.

Mail Bag

E. K. Jr., New York.—The New York Life Insurance Company has been the chief user of big political figures on its board of directors. At Smith and Herbert Hoover are directors, as was also the late Calvin Coolidge. Smith also has served as director of Metropolitan Life. . . . A. B. B. Tulsa, Okla.—When Justice Van Devanter resigned he called in John Suter, who has been covering the Supreme Court for the Associated Press for about twenty years. Suter had been ill, was not on duty that day but answered Van Devanter's call. The Justice wanted him to have the story first. . . . V. A. S., Phoenix, Ariz.—Reason for the Post Office ruling against the shipment of live mice through the mails is fear that the public may get the idea mice are chewing up letters (possibly dead letters). Incidentally, many post offices are presided over by postmistresses. . . . C. H. S., Pueblo, Colo.—Madam Cantacuzene is a granddaughter of General U. S. Grant. Born at the White House when her grandfather was nearing the end of his second term (1876), she was the daughter of Grant's oldest son, Frederick Dent. In 1899, she married Major General Prince Cantacuzene, Count Speransky, of Russia. She now lives in Washington at 1868 Columbia Road. . . . V. P. Concord, N. H.—The United States Army has only 200 serviceable tanks, compared with Japan's 1,000 and an estimated 4,000 in Russia. But the U. S. has \$75 obsolete tanks, left over from the World War, now rusting in warehouses. They never will be used again. . . . P. H. D., New York.—Consuls of foreign countries have diplomatic immunity only in connection with official action. In their private affairs, they do not have the protection enjoyed by diplomats.

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Senator Alben Barkley of Kentucky will succeed Senator Joe Robinson as Administration Floor Leader if the President names Robinson to the Supreme Court.

Pat Harrison, chairman of the powerful Senate Finance Committee, ranks Barkley in seniority. Senator Jimmy Byrnes, able populist South Carolinian, is junior to Barkley but has the strong backing of the Old Guard Democrats. But neither of these will get the floor leadership.

Harrison doesn't want it and the White House doesn't want Byrnes. Barkley is no left-winger, but he has supported the President and his policies 100 per cent. In addition, he has acted as floor leader during Robinson's absence, and is one of the best parliamentarians in the Senate.

Besides supporting the New Deal wholeheartedly, Barkley also won warm Administration appreciation for his vigorous manhandling of the late Huey P. Long when the Louisiana dictator was rocking the Senate with his razor-tongued harangues. Barkley was the only Administration leader who would stand toe-to-toe with the Kingfish and slug it out with him.

Not only that, but the Kentucky would bait Huey to an outbreak then run him off the floor with a barrage of rhetorical rights and lefts.

Barkley will make a good floor leader.

Reverse English

John Carson, astute secretary of the late Senator Couzens, has spent a good part of his life baiting big business. He was the brains of many of Couzens' attacks against Andy Mellon, the big steel companies, other economic royalists.

Supposedly consistent with this, Carson is now Consumers' Council

Prone Pressure Method

All Boy Scouts, gas and electric light employees, and life guards now are taught, however, the prone pressure method, introduced about 1890 by Professor Schafer of Edinburgh.

The prone pressure method of artificial respiration is to place the victim on his face with one arm curved under so that his forehead can rest on it; this brings his mouth and nose away from the ground and allows free breathing. The other arm is stretched on the ground over his head. The operator now rests on his knees, astraddle of the patient, and first brings his two open palms down on the side of the ribs toward the far end and most compressible part of the thorax. He presses these together and then springs back, taking his hands off the chest, which allows air to come in.

The advantage of the prone pressure method is that it can be done by one operator almost indefinitely without tiring him. Second, that with the patient on his face it insures that the tongue will fall forward, allowing a free passage of air. Third, that it makes the largest amount of air go in and out of the lungs.

Remember with artificial respiration that people have been revived after four hours of work, even when they were blue and apparently completely lifeless.

The Grab Bag

One Minute Test

- Who is mentioned as the probable successor to Stanley Baldwin, prime minister of Great Britain?
- What European king was feted recently by his nation on the silver jubilee of his reign?
- Why can a fly walk across a ceiling without falling?

Hints on Etiquette

At church weddings, the bride should wear the traditional white gown and veil. For informal home ceremonies, however, a colored frock is quite proper.

Words of Wisdom

One vicious habit each year rooted out, in time might make the worst man good.—Franklin.

Today's Horoscope

Persons whose birthday is today are inclined to be superficial in their thinking. They will profit by practicing concentration.

One Minute Test Answers

- Neville Chamberlain, a leader of the Conservative party and chancellor of the exchequer since 1932.
- King Christian X of Denmark.
- It has sucker-like hairs on its feet.

Almanac Information

May 24, birthday of Ralph Emerson, essayist, born 1803.

Historical event, May 24, first steamship crosses Atlantic 1819.

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Rockefeller Spent First Half of Life Massing Fortune; Last Half in Gifts

Benefactions of Founder of Standard Oil Company
Totalled Over A Half Billion
of Dollars.

(By Associated Press)

JOHN DAVISON ROCKEFELLER spent the first half of his life making money and the latter half giving it away. "I believe it is a duty," he said many times, "for a man to get all the money he honestly can and to give away all he can."

His career described an almost perfect arc. At the age of 16 he began with nothing. He received \$50 for his first three months' work, as assistant bookkeeper in a produce commission warehouse on the lake front in Cleveland, O. By the time he had reached middle age he had amassed what many persons think was the largest fortune ever controlled by a private individual in the history of the world. At the age of 57 he began to withdraw from active business life and started giving money away.

In 35 years he gave away considerably more than half a million dollars, and one of his associates remarked that the world would be surprised at the comparatively small estate he would leave when he died.

Guesses on Size of Fortune
The size of the Rockefeller fortune has been a subject for public conjecture for many years. It has never been revealed. While some estimated it as high as \$2,000,000, persons close to him place it at a much lower figure. His son, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., once said that it had never reached a billion. For many years, however, Mr. Rockefeller paid the highest personal property tax in New York City. It ran to more than \$1,000,000 a year.

At the time of his death it was estimated that Mr. Rockefeller had made gifts during his lifetime aggregating, in round numbers, \$535,500,000.

A statement given out at the Rockefeller offices in 1928, on his eighty-ninth birthday, disclosed that in the 18 years since 1910 he had given away publicly \$413,323,644. His largest gift was \$182,704,624 to the Rockefeller Foundation, chartered "to promote the welfare of mankind in all parts of the world."

Other great gifts included, in round numbers, \$130,000,000 to the General Education Board; \$75,000,000 to the Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial, founded to perpetuate the charity practiced by his wife; \$50,000,000 to the Rockefeller Institute for Medical Research and \$45,000,000 to the University of Chicago.

Merger of Foundations
The Rockefeller Foundation, established in 1913, and the Laura Spelman Rockefeller Memorial, founded in 1918, were consolidated in 1929, under the name of the Rockefeller Foundation, and with property having a listed value of more than \$223,000,000. In recent years,

the expenditures of the Foundation have been \$15,000,000 or more annually, and the objects have included national and international health work, research in medicine, natural science and social sciences, and grants to universities for studies in philology, archeology, library maintenance and scholarly research.

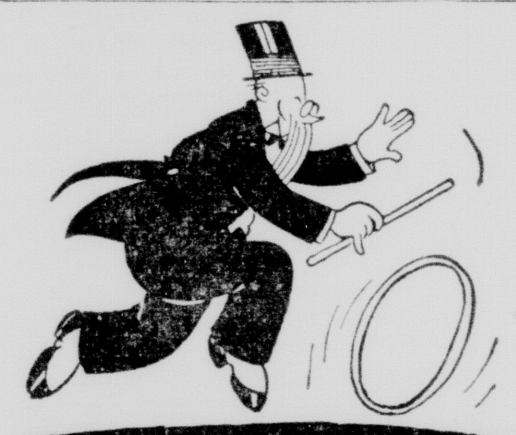
John D. Rockefeller, Jr., followed his father's example and in the 1910-1928 interval, made gifts totaling more than \$50,000,000. Before that period the Rockefeller gifts had been numerous and generous and they continued afterward. One of the largest later Rockefeller contributions was \$1,000,000 to the New York City Emergency Unemployment Committee in December, 1930.

The elder Rockefeller's earning and giving always overlapped. He started his contributions as a boy—5 cents a week for foreign missions, 3 cents a week to the poor. And many years later—whether at Pocantico Hills, Lakewood, N. J., or Ormond Beach, Fla.—he spent a certain amount of time each day keeping up with business affairs.

Almost a Legendary Figure
Although it was frequently said that he was much more actively concerned with business than most people thought, Mr. Rockefeller, the founder of the Standard Oil Co. and pioneer in modern business organization, had become something of a legendary figure. He was much better known as a whimsical old gentleman who spent his days in peaceful monotony at his three country homes, passing out shiny new dimes and playing golf.

Rockefeller began his retirement in 1896, but retained the title of president of the Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey until November, 1911. That was just after the Standard Oil combination had been dissolved by Federal Court decree.

In 1929, nearly 20 years later, he publicly emerged from his retirement on two occasions. Early that year he announced that he would support his son, John D. Jr., in an effort to prevent the reelection of Col. Robert W. Stewart, as director and chairman of the Standard Oil



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Co. of Indiana. He was then 89 years old.

In October, 1929, when the crash came in Wall Street, he issued from Pocantico Hills a reassuring statement in which he said that he and his son did not believe there was anything in the business situation to warrant the destruction of values recorded in the preceding week, and announced that they were both buying common stocks. The market rallied.

Adopted Simple Diet

At the time of his retirement, accounts of the simplicity in which he lived and the frugality of his diet led to a popular belief that he was in poor health, a chronic sufferer from indigestion. Rockefeller many years later said that this was not true, that he had always enjoyed rugged health, possibly because of that very regimen. As a matter of fact, Mr. Rockefeller's life at Pocantico Hills and his other homes did not differ so very much from that which he had always lived, except that, instead of spending three or four afternoons a week outdoors, he spent every afternoon outdoors, motoring as he grew older. Even after he went into his nineties, he continued to play golf every sunny morning, except Sundays.

At the height of his business career, Mr. Rockefeller directed the affairs of 33 oil companies and influenced indirectly the policies of hundreds of corporations, including many forms of modern industry. Their combined capitalization ran into the billions, and they employed

hundreds of thousands of men and women.

Sold Out to His Son

For several years his companies controlled four-fifths of the oil business in the United States. He was the business partner of many American millionaires. He owned blocks of stock in most of the trunk line railroads in the United States. He controlled mines and mills, notably the Colorado Fuel and Iron Co. But even in those active days he found time to sleep an hour after lunch every day, prolonging his meals with games of "numeria," and spend several afternoons a week outdoors. While he was a young man in Cleveland, organizing the Standard Oil Co., he used to take time off to work on the grounds of his estate, go for drives and bicycle rides.

Toward the end of his life, Mr. Rockefeller apparently wanted to get rid of every sort of responsibility. In July, 1925, he sold the Pocantico Hills estate, near Tarrytown, N. Y.—8,000 acres, covering 12½ square miles, it eventually grew to be—his place at Lakewood, N. J., his town house in New York, where he had not lived for many years, and his winter home at Ormond Beach, Fla., to his son, for \$3,065,000. So he actually did not own any home.

DEGREES FOR FIVE PETTIS COUNTAINS

Five students from Pettis County will be among those receiving degrees at Central Missouri State Teachers college, Warrensburg, at 10 a. m. Thursday, May 27, when Rev. L. M. Birkhead of Kansas City will deliver the commencement address. These seniors are Helen Frances Barrick, Sedalia; Rose Donaldson Fennell, Sedalia; Frances Glover, Sedalia; Hazel Irene Ott, Sedalia; and Lydia B. Parkhurst, Sedalia.

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Mrs. Rose Donaldson Fennell is the daughter-in-law of Mrs. Maude Fennell, teacher in Smith-Cotton high school in Sedalia. She is the wife of Stein Fennell, a graduate of Smith-Cotton high school and student at Central Missouri State Teachers college. Mr. and Mrs. Fennell will teach at Stover the coming year.

Mrs. Fennell is a member of Kappa Delta Pi, National Honor Fraternity; of Amadram, dramatic club; of Foreign Language Club and of Sigma Sigma Sigma, social sorority, and has been Secretary of the senior class.

Frances Glover, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. T. Glover, has majored in music and is a member of the Glee Club, Crescendo Club, and orchestra and had a leading part in the Opera given in 1936.

Hazel Irene Ott, daughter of A. E. Ott, chose Home Economics for her major subject. She is a member of Kappa Omicron Phi, and Alpha

Phi Delta, National Honor organizations, and of the Canaries, drum and bugle corps.
Lydia Blanche Parkhurst, daughter of John H. Parkhurst, was graduated from the high school at Hughesville. She will have a major in two subjects, Mathematics and Social Science, and is a member of Canaries, the drum and bugle corps.

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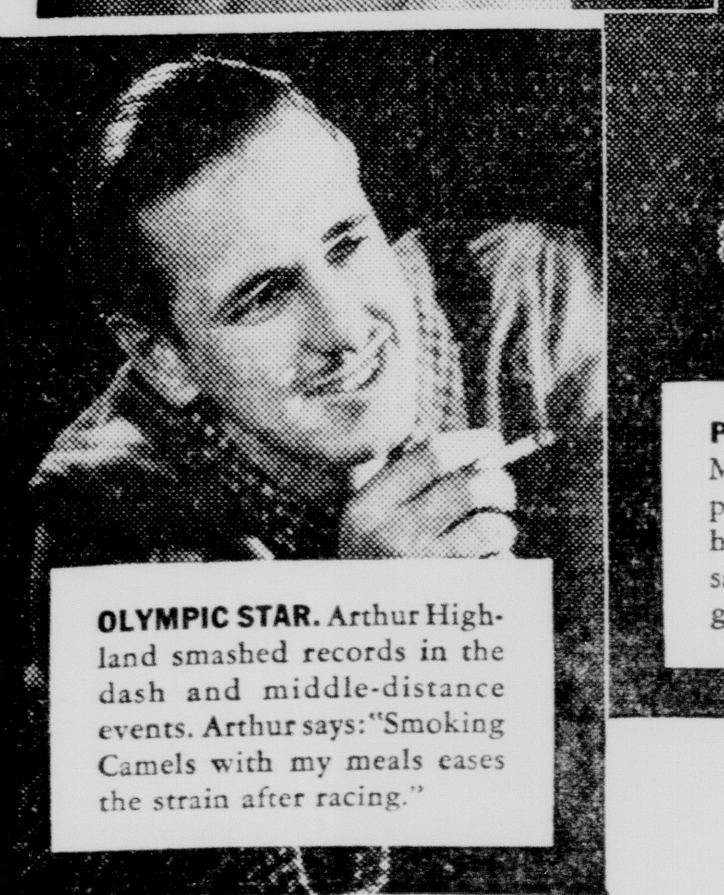
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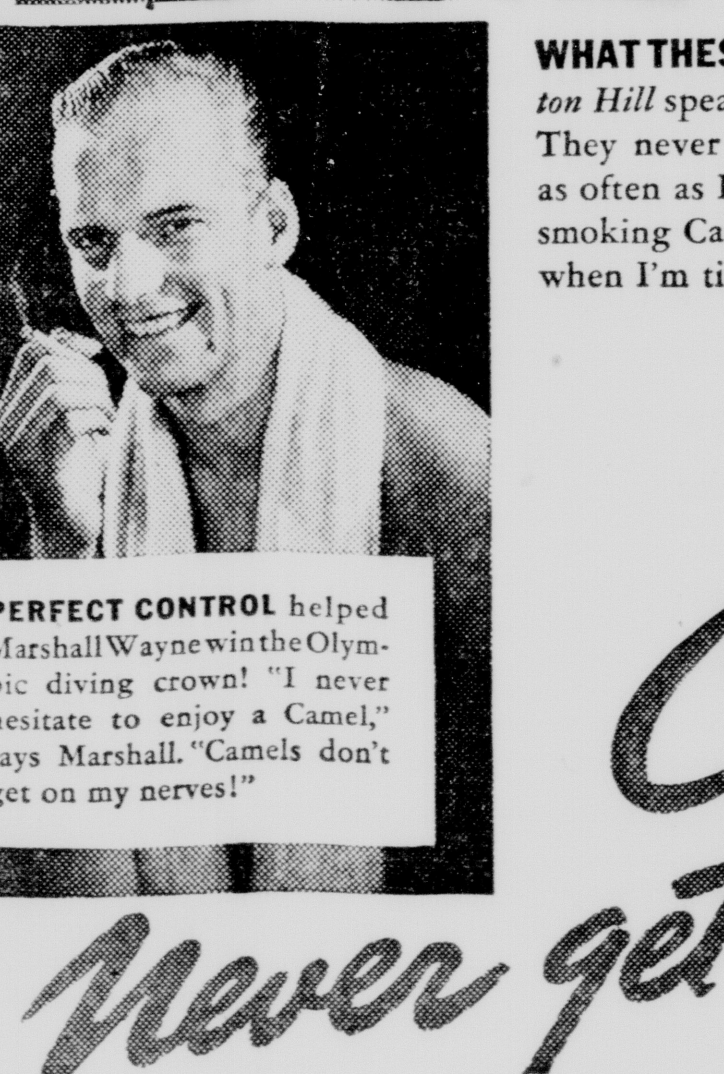
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SOCIETY AND CLUBS

Former Sedalian Married
Mrs. Willa Fischer O'Brien, a former Sedalian, who recently has been living in Pine Bluff, Ark., was married Saturday, May 22, the Pine Bluff Commercial carrying the following account of the marriage:
"Mr. and Mrs. Edwin J. Kueck announce the marriage of their sister, Mrs. Willa Fischer O'Brien, to Mr. James Beaurie McCoy on Saturday, May 22nd at 3 o'clock. The ceremony was read in the Kueck home by the Rev. R. G. Lange of Trinity Lutheran church. Members of the immediate families were the only guests."
"Mrs. McCoy is the youngest daughter of Louis E. Fischer of Sedalia, Missouri, but has made her home in Pine Bluff the past

five years, with her two small daughters, Barbara and Mimi, where she has made many devoted friends. She was very attractive in a costume of navy sheer with white accessories, and a corsage of gardenias and violets.
"Mr. McCoy, son of G. A. McCoy, is well known in Pine Bluff, where he spent his boyhood, and for many years was connected with the Merchants and Planters Bank. He now represents the John Deere Plow Co., Credit Department through the Delta district.
"Mr. and Mrs. McCoy left immediately by motor for New Orleans and other southern points, and after July 1st will be located in Greenwood, Miss."

Party on Birthday
A birthday party was given Wednesday night at the home of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rayl in honor of their daughter, Bernice's seventeenth birthday.
The evening was passed by playing games, music and conversation. At a late hour refreshments of cake, lemonade, sandwiches and coffee were served to the guests who were:
Mr. and Mrs. Russell Janney, Mr. Roark and family, Pansy, Patsy,

Pauline, Pearl and Plurcey, all of Hughesville; Mr. and Mrs. Alvin Rayl and son, Alvin Charles; J. J. Finch, Leonard Yankee, Miss Marjorie Yankee, all of Knob Noster; Jay Forest Rice, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Lake and daughters, Ruth and Lulu; Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Porter and daughter, Willa Dean; Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Rayl and family, Alma Dean, Wilbur, Mary Alice and Bernice, all of La Monte; Tom Watts of Kansas City.
All left at a late hour wishing Bernice many more happy birthdays.

Wed at Warrensburg
Joseph Elzea, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Elzea of this city, and Miss Joe Ann Mason, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Cliff Mason of Higginsville were married Sunday by the Rev. Woods, pastor of the Warrensburg Christian church, at the minister's residence.
The young couple will reside in Sedalia where the bridegroom is assistant manager of the shoe department at Sage's.

Senior Spring Formal
The senior spring formal will be held at Convention Hall, Liberty Park, tonight from 9:00 to 12:00.

The hall has been attractively decorated in "swing" music style. Don Sisson's popular orchestra will furnish the music.
This event will be the last school dance before school is closed Friday and many of the students are expected to attend.

Miscellaneous Shower
Mrs. W. A. Green, of Marshall avenue, entertained about twenty-five friends at a party at her home last Thursday night, a miscellaneous shower for Mrs. Leonard Quint, formerly Miss Anna Johnson.
Supper was served the guests and the evening spent enjoying games.

Class Meets Wednesday
The Homemakers class of the East Sedalia Baptist church will have an all day class meeting Wednesday, May 26, at the home of Mrs. Velma Rissler, 506 East Thirtieth street. Bring covered dish.

BACCALAUREATE AT LINCOLN SCHOOL
Rev. Ed L. McAllister, D. D., delivered a wonderful sermon to the graduating class Sunday afternoon. The auditorium was filled to its

capacity. His text was, "We Are Workers Together With God." He took as his subject, "The Silent Worker," and showed throughout the discourse that in every walk of life and that in everything man does and accomplishes, it is not done of man alone, but through the help of the silent worker, Jesus Christ, the Son of the Universe.
There would not be any growth in nature if the silent worker did not send forth the sunshine to warm the earth, the showers to give drink, and every other thing which promotes growth. The message was enjoyed by all.

ANNUAL ORATORICAL CONTEST AT LINCOLN HIGH
The annual oratorical contest will take place at Lincoln high school tonight, May 24. There are eight contestants.
First prize—Gold medal—Clay T. Henderson Post No. 98, American Legion, donor.
Second prize, Silver Medal—Lincoln school.
Third prize, Silver Medal—Bischel Jewelry Co., donor.

Divorce Is Petitioned
Alleging non-support and general indignities, Mrs. Charlotte Mary McCarty filed suit in the circuit court today asking for a divorce from Marion E. McCarty, to whom, according to the petition she was married March 22, 1925. The defendant, the petition states, is now employed as a barber in LaPlatte, Mo.
The plaintiff asks for custody of their two children and maintenance.

Rummage Sale
At Parish hall, Broadway and Ohio, at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, May 26.—Adv.

A. F. OF L. OPENS ITS WAR ON J. L. LEWIS AND C. I. O.

Step as U. A. W., Begins a Unionizing Drive on Ford Workers

By The Associated Press
The American Federation of Labor launched its war today against John L. Lewis and his Committee for Industrial Organization.

Meeting in Cincinnati, the Federation's executive council made plans which called for loyal unions to double their monthly dues to fight C. I. O. expansion and approve expulsion of all local branches of Lewis union from city central bodies and state federations.

The A. F. of L. chieftains also discussed enrollment of new members by moving into territory claimed by Lewis unions—the coal fields, textile mills and garment factories.

Meanwhile C. I. O. leaders answered the challenge with continued activity in the automobile and steel industries.

In Detroit, the United Automobile Workers opened its drive to unionize the Ford Motor Company's workers. The union's goal is to sign up a majority of the 90,000 employees in the Dearborn factory. Ford is the only major producer with whom the U. A. W. does not have a contract.

The steel workers' organizing committee looked to a peaceful settlement with the Crucible Steel Company over demands for "a contract similar to that signed by United States Steel subsidiaries, calling for bargaining rights for SWOC members only." Crucible, a union spokesman said, would make an agreement, or a strike will be called.

Vote in Steel Plants
Tomorrow, 5,000 employees of Sharon Steel Corporation, at Sharon, Pa., and Lowellville, O., will vote to determine whether C. I. O. gets exclusive bargaining rights. On the same day the C. I. O. will make a final demand for recognition with Inland Steel.

The coal miners' sit-down strike in Illinois 350 feet below the surface went on its fourth day today. Fred S. Pfahler, Chicago, president of the Superior Coal Company, said after a conference with strike leaders: "We have discussed the situation thoroughly and are making progress."

Pfahler said he would insist that the mine now held by nearly 500 evacuated before a final settlement could be reached on the demand for a "share-the-work" program with several hundred idle miners.

Some 6,000 employees of the Studebaker Corporation at South Bend, Ind., were to return to their jobs today after officials announced a general wage increase totaling \$500,000 annually. The salary boost came after contract negotiations were concluded by union and company officials, ending a three day walkout.

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FUNNIER THAN EVER IN "WAY OUT WEST"
When Laurel and Hardy sing a duet with variations, preceded by a swing dance of the gay 90's vintage, in the Hal Hoach-MGM feature-length comedy, "Way Out West," coming Wednesday to the Liberty Theatre, it represents the most hilariously-funny and brilliant entertainment this stellar team of comics has presented during the more than ten years they have been together on the screen.

TREASURY DEPARTMENT. Procurement division—Public Buildings Branch, Washington, D. C.—Sealed proposals will be received at the Section of Space Control, Procurement Division, Washington, D. C., up to 10:30 o'clock A. M., June 25, 1937, and then publicly opened for the purchase of the old Post Office site at Sedalia, Mo., together with the building thereon, situated in the County of Pettis and State of Missouri. Legal description available Section of Space Control, Procurement Division, Washington, D. C. and Postmaster, Sedalia. The right is reserved to the Secretary of the Treasury, until July 30, 1937, to accept, or to reject, any and all bids which may be submitted. Each proposal must be accompanied by a certified check drawn to the order of the Treasurer of the United States for five per centum (5%) of the bid, as guarantee of good faith, the proceeds thereof to become the property of the United States if the bidder defaults. Terms of sale: (A) All cash on delivery of quitclaim deed, or at purchaser's option, (B) One-fifth (1-5) cash on execution of contract, balance in five (5) equal installments, payable, respectively, one, two, three, four, and five years from date of contract with interest at five per centum (5%) per annum payable annually, provided that purchaser, if not in default with respect to payment of any installment or interest, may pay in full any or all unpaid installments of principal with accrued interest at said rate at any time within five (5) years from date of contract. Method of payment within the scope of the above-prescribed terms shall be clearly set forth in proposal. Proposal must be in writing, sealed envelope marked "Proposal for purchase of old Post Office site and building, Sedalia, Mo." and mailed to the Section of Space Control, Procurement Division, Treasury Department, Washington, D. C. No telegraphic bids will be considered. C. J. Peoples, Director of Procurement.

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But here, daily, a process strangely similar goes on. Here rival claimants to precedence also come forward. They are the manufacturers, the merchants, the department stores, the business houses, the insurance companies. They advance the cause of their products or of their services with integrity and conviction. And their advertising is their heraldry.

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Very few people have ever seen yet, as she has not got used to the a baby elephant. The big circus today, and in the past, have always featured elephants as to their hugeness. Weighing five, six, and sometimes seven tons, these great ponderous beasts have always appeared big, and the public has come to look upon elephants, as something used to move big wagons and trucks on the circus grounds, and to lay down and roll over in the rings. In order to get away from big elephants, the Modern Noah's Ark, appearing in Sedalia brought "Little Mary," the world's smallest baby elephant. Just three years old, Mary came to this country from India, and is already learning to do tricks. Her trainer, Tex Thomas, has taught her to lay down, roll over, beg for peanuts stands on her head and so on. She does not do tricks in public

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PERSONALS

Mr. and Mrs. Ellsworth Bergfeld, Atchison, Kas., spent the week end visiting with Mr. Bergfeld's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Gus Bergfeld, 611 East Ninth street.

Porter A. Jared, a former Sedalia, who has been in Little Rock, Ark., is here for a visit with his mother, Mrs. Lillian Jared, of 1020 South Ohio avenue, while en route to Vicksburg, Miss., where he is to be an accountant for the Mississippi state tax commission.

EIGHTH CASE IN VOTE FRAUD STARTED

By The Associated Press.
KANSAS CITY, May 24.—Federal Judge Albert L. Reeves overruled today a motion by attorneys for five defendants in Kansas City's eighth vote fraud conspiracy trial to quash the jury panel which they claimed had been selected so as to bar wage earners.

Discussion on the motion was to prevent members of the panel, scattered throughout the courtroom, from hearing details.
Three women indicted with the five men in the eighteenth precinct of the third ward pleaded nolo contendere, throwing themselves upon the mercy of the court. Eight other women have entered similar pleas in

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Col. Rodda In An Address On His Travels Abroad

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were Captain Ernest Orchard, his father, Adjutant Ernest Orchard, and Lieutenant J. E. Watkins, of the Salvation Army, Rev. E. L. Baker, John Martin and L. A. Brill.

Colonel Bertram's subject was "Dictatorship in Russia."

Speaking from personal observation of many years on the continent Col. Rodda spoke with an "open mind" of the conditions of the European people, particularly those under the regime of dictatorship in Italy, Germany and Russia. He advised a "long range" view point of these conditions to balance the merits of these dictatorships and present day conditions. Because, as he pointed out, history definitely proves through the past 400 years that when any country becomes so weak that a dictatorship takes hold, that dictatorship will disappear as soon as the people have regained their confidence and ability for self-government.

Fascism in Italy, he points out, was born as the result of chaos and disintegration of the Italian government under old governmental policies that had existed for 125 years. He stated, had saved the Italian people from invading communism and out moded policies of government and had given in return a new national life to the Italian people.

Hitler too had played his part in a similar manner to unify the German people under a dictatorship and stamp out the invasion of communism. But the speaker had severe criticism to make of Hitler's permitting the members of the Youth Movement, which he brought under control at the ages of 16, 18 and 20 years, to become grown men and women with growing families, to remain embittered toward affairs in Germany's international relationships. The speaker who was proud of the Uniform he wore, which as he explained was the only uniform permitted in Germany outside of the national uniform of the Swastika and also the Rotary Club emblem, which he wore, because it was the only emblem permitted in Germany outside of the Swastika found praise for Hitler in the roll of being a savior for the country but criticized severely the policies under which he continued to control the great race of people from which so much was expected from the remainder of the world.

To be able to tell the soap box orators in Times Square and other places that their appeals for communism were lacking because in all of Russia today, there is no communism, was expressed as a great desire of the speaker. Today in Russia he says there exists on every hand definite examples of the defeat of communistic principles under following the fall of the Russian Nobility. Today the acme of distinction is to wear the emblem of Stalin, proving that the wearer is entitled to higher salaries because of outstanding work accomplished. In fact the speaker stated that the America's C. I. O., the A. F. of L. or any other organization of labor would today have no part of Russia's present labor organization. It is entirely based on individual production, and when a man doubles his work quota he is remunerated by means of bonus money and special vacation trips expense free. Also contrary to communistic principle, Russia today has found that the success of business depends upon individual owned business and personal ownership. The general standards of living in Russia today he says, have been raised, but as he asked to be explicitly understood, those standards for the lowest level would be completed frowned down upon the poor people of the United States, and any officer of the Salvation Army may properly recognize the attitude of the poor of America.

Members of the entertainment committee are, Mrs. Hausam, who was formerly Miss Rose Brink, Miss Margaret Ferguson, Mrs. George Paul, Mrs. Grace Young, Miss Virginia Callison, Mrs. Alice Yankee and Miss Harriet Miller.

The women indicted were May Bartlett and Geneva Viebig Republican judges, and Maude Hancher, Republican clerk.

SOCIAL SESSION FOR B. AND P. W. CLUB

The Business and Professional Women's club will meet Friday night at the home of Mrs. R. J. Hausam, on route 4, with a social session honoring especially the teacher members, most of whom will be away for the summer. The regular meeting date, Thursday, has been changed to Friday because commencement is on Thursday.

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Held for Investigation

James Payne, who gave his home as Munday, Texas, picked up by police officers Anderson and Streeter, is being held in the city jail pending an investigation. He will be questioned by Chief of Police John J. O'Brien tonight.

Uphold Unemployment and Old Age Provisions of Security Act

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competitors. We have seen this in our study of the problem of unemployment compensation.

"A system of old age pensions has special dangers of its own, if put in force in one state and rejected in another. The existence of such a system is a bait to the needy and dependent elsewhere, encouraging them to migrate and seek a haven of repose, only a power that is national can serve the interests of all."

Among spectators that crowded the packed courtroom as the two decisions were read were Senators Robinson of Arkansas, prominently mentioned to succeed the retiring Justice Van evanter, and Senator Connally (D-Tex) a foe of the court bill.

Before reaching the old age pension section of the act, Cardozo read the opinion of five majority justices upholding unemployment security phases of the law.

"The statute," Cardozo asserted, "does not call for a surrender by the states of powers essential to their quasi-sovereign existence."

It was the fifth birthday of the junior member of the court in point of service.

The unemployment insurance provisions taxed employers of more than eight persons to assist in caring for the future jobless and to provide a cushion against economic depression.

States Adopt Programs
To induce states to adopt programs of their own and carry out the purpose of the federal act, the legislation provided that employers could deduct up to 90 per cent of the federal tax by paying that amount to the state.

Forty-five states and the District of Columbia have adopted programs approved by the federal social security board. Those that did not are Illinois, Missouri and Florida.

Eleven states specified that their own program should be dropped if the federal act were held unconstitutional. Twenty-four provided that the program should be suspended to await a decision as to the future by the governor or the legislature. Ten states and the District of Columbia enacted legislation independent of the federal act.

The measure imposed a tax on employers' payrolls ranging from one per cent in 1936 to three per cent in 1938 and thereafter. It was not applicable to agriculture, labor, domestic service, seamen and employees of the federal and state governments.

"The social security act," Cardozo said, "is an attempt to find a method by which public agencies may work together to a common end."

"Every dollar of the new taxes," he added, "will continue in all likelihood to be used and needed by the nation as long as states are unwilling, whether through timidity or for other motives, to do what can be done at home."

"At least the inference is permissible that congress so believed, though retaining undiminished freedom to spend the money as it pleased."

"On the other hand fulfillment of the home duty will be lightened and encouraged by crediting the taxpayer upon his account with the treasury of the nation to the extent that his contributions under the laws of the locality have simplified or diminished the problem of relief."

"Duplicated taxes, or burdens that approach them, are recognized hardships that government, state or national, may properly avoid. If congress believed that the general welfare would better be promoted by relief through local units than by the system then in vogue, the co-operating localities ought not in all fairness to pay a second time."

"Who then is coerced through the operation of this statute? Not the taxpayer. He pays in fulfillment of the mandate of the local legislature."

Cardozo then cited decisions by lower courts on validity of the Alabama unemployment compensation act which supplements the federal legislation. He then added: "For all that appears she is satisfied with her choice, and would be sorely disappointed if it were now to be annulled. The difficulty with the petitioner's contention is that it confuses motive with coercion."

President Asks For A Flexible Law Upon Labor

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neighborly competition from sister states."

Allowing for a few exceptional trades and permitting longer hours on the payment of time and a half for overtime, the President said a "general maximum working week" should not "be difficult to define."

"Allowing for appropriate qualifications and general classifications by administrative action," he added, "it should also be possible to put some floor below which the wage ought not to fall."

"There should be no difficulty in ruling out the products of children from any fair market."

"And there should also be little dispute when it comes to ruling out of the interstate markets products of employers who deny to their workers the right of self-organization and collective bargaining, whether through the fear of labor spies, the bait of company unions,

or the use of strike-breakers. The abuses disclosed by the investigations of the senate must be promptly curbed.

The President said the proposed federal legislation should be "a stimulus and not a hindrance to state action."

Although a good portion of the goods of American industry moves in interstate commerce and will be covered by the legislation recommended, he said there were many purely local pursuits and services which no federal legislation could effectively cover.

"No state is justified," he said, "in sitting idly by and expecting the federal government to meet state responsibility for those labor conditions with which the state may effectively deal without fear of unneighborly competition from sister states."

"Our problem," he said, "is to work out in practice those labor standards which will permit the maximum but prudent employment of our human resources to bring within the reach of the average man and woman a maximum of good and of services conducive to the fulfillment of the promise of American life."

"Legislation can, I hope, be passed at this session of the congress further to help those who toil in factory and on farm. We have promised it. We can not stand still."

Rockefeller Dies As He Neared His Ninety-Eighth Birthday

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practice of giving away shiny new dimes. But his hope of becoming a full-fledged centenarian seemed likely to be fulfilled.

Walked in Garden Friday
Then, last Friday, he became restless. He complained that he could not sleep. His condition was regarded by no means as alarming, however, and he was taken downstairs in an elevator and wheeled out into the garden. For several hours, he basked in the Florida sunshine and appeared refreshed.

On Saturday morning he conferred briefly with his senior secretary, Ward Madison.

"I am very tired," he said wistfully.

At noon, John D. Rockefeller, Jr., made a routine telephone call from New York and was assured there was no immediate cause for alarm and nothing about his father's condition to warrant a special trip to Florida.

Saturday night, he lapsed into a slight coma. The heart that drove him through all the tempestuous years of building an "oil empire," pulsed with a slowly weakening tempo.

At 2 a. m., he roused to murmur something to his valet of 20 years, John H. Yordi.

He asked to be raised higher in his bed, and when it was done, he whispered thinly:

"There, that's better."

So far as is known, they were his last words. Apparently he had no realization that the end was near. He closed his eyes and two hours later, in the hush of the Sabbath dawn, he breathed his last.

Burial at Cleveland
CLEVELAND, May 24.—A verdant Lakeview cemetery knoll, on the crest of which rises an austere 60-foot granite monument, attracted today throngs of visitors eager to view the final resting place of John D. Rockefeller Sr.

There the frail body of the fabulously wealthy oil king, who died yesterday, will be buried Thursday beside the graves of his wife, Laura Spelman Rockefeller; a daughter, Alice, who died in infancy; his mother, Eliza Davidson Rockefeller, and eleven other members of the family.

Simple interment rites will follow funeral services, to be conducted Wednesday at the Rockefeller-Pocantico hills estate in New York.

The sentinel shaft, on which is inscribed only the family name, thrusts its pointed peak from the shade of stately maples, elms and birches.

Unpretentious headstones of the Rockefeller dead form a semicircle on the grassy slope. The only blooms on the plot are those of the purple myrtle blanketing the graves.

From the rise that is to receive Rockefeller's body may be seen in lazy distance the towering buildings of downtown Cleveland, where the financier embarked upon his unparalleled career.

Among notables buried nearby are President James A. Garfield, John Hay, famed secretary of state; Mark Hanna, Republican party leader, and Myron T. Herrick, former ambassador to France.

INSURANCE IS REMANDED UNDER DEMURRER

A suit on insurance, filed by Oscar Schuerman against the General American Life Insurance Company, in which the court sustained a demurrer in favor of the defendant, and which was appealed to the Kansas City Court of Appeals, has been remanded for trial by the appellate court, which reversed the decision of the lower court.

Schuerman had asked for \$2,000 alleging total permanent disabilities. Lamm and Barnett and Crawford and Harlan represented the plaintiff.

Mrs. Addie Rhodes Dies
Mrs. Addie Rhodes, Negro, died shortly before noon today at the home of her cousin, Sylvester Montgomery, on West Cooper, with whom she made her home.

The body is at the Alexander Funeral Home pending arrangements for the funeral.

OBITUARIES

John Patrick Gass

John Patrick Gass, 88 years old, former superintendent of the Sedalia public schools, a well known citizen of Sedalia, passed away at his home, 129 West Seventh street, at 9 o'clock this morning following an illness of several years. With him at the time of his passing were his daughter, Mrs. James McAnaw of Kansas City, and his son, John P. Gass, Jr., of Springfield, Mo.

Mr. Gass was born near Mexico, Mo., August 1, 1848 and was reared and educated in the schools of that community. He attended the State Normal at Kirksville, receiving his Masters Degree there. A short time later he came to Sedalia as principal and teacher at Broadway school and served there for several years.

He then went to Paysonville, Mo., and taught in the schools there for a short time, then returned to his old home in Mexico, remained there a short time and went with the public schools at Fulton where he taught for eleven years. He returned to Sedalia and was again made principal and a teacher in Broadway school in 1897 where he remained until 1908 when he was appointed as superintendent of the public schools of Sedalia which position he held until July of 1920, when he retired.

His brother, the late H. A. Gass, served a term as state superintendent of public schools of Missouri. Mr. Gass was a man of high character, a man who was known throughout the entire state because of his connection with the schools of Missouri. He was a man whose friends were numbered only by his acquaintances. He was a friend of the school boy and girl always seeing that every advantage was granted to every student who sought out an education, always giving advice to such students and conferring with them in after years.

Upon his retirement as superintendent of schools he was appointed in September of 1926 to the office of Justice of the Peace succeeding Judge Theodore H. Fisher, who passed away. He ran for that office in November of 1926 and was elected for a term of four years which he served and was re-elected in the fall of 1930 but resigned the office in February of 1931 because of illness.

Mr. Gass moved to Springfield in 1932 and remained there for two years with his son, but desiring to be in his home town of Sedalia returned here.

Mr. Gass was an active member of the Masonic lodge. He was a member of the Sedalia Chapter No. 236 A. F. and A. M., and held all of the chairs in the Blue Lodge. He was a member of the Masons for 59 years and a year ago was presented with a 50-year-member button.

He was married to Mrs. Gass in April of 1875. Mrs. Gass passed away on July 11, 1930.

Surviving are three children, Mrs. McAnaw and Mr. Gass, and another daughter, Mrs. O. B. Staples of Glendale, Calif.; also two grand children, John James and Marion McAnaw, both of Kansas City; also two brothers, Will Gass of Ladonia, Mo., and Elliott Gass of Billings, Mont.

The body was taken to the Gillespie Funeral Home where it will remain until Wednesday morning when it will be taken to the Masonic Temple, Seventh street and Osage avenue, where funeral services will be conducted at 2:30 o'clock in the afternoon with the Rev. A. W. Kokenodier, pastor of the First Christian church, officiating.

Pall bearers will be the following friends: W. E. Brown, Ed J. Evans, W. H. Cloney, E. W. Dusan, R. M. Johns, and Dr. F. M. Fulkerson.

Interment will be in Crown Hill cemetery beside the grave of his wife.

William Holt

William Holt, aged 89 years old, died at 9:15 o'clock this morning at the home of his son, Boulder J. Holt, six miles north of Sedalia in the Bohwell lodge vicinity.

Mr. Holt and family for many years resided at 312 North Grand avenue, but for several years past he had lived with his son.

Born in Charlton county he grew to boyhood there and was married in 1869 in Palmyra, Mo., to Miss Mary E. Webb. They came to Sedalia in 1888.

Mr. Holt a retired carpenter is survived by the son named, He was the father of two other children, Salie Holt, who passed away at the age of 11 years, and William Holt, Jr., who died at the age of 52 years. His wife died in 1927.

The body will be taken to the McLaughlin funeral chapel Tuesday morning to remain until funeral services there at 10:30 o'clock Wednesday morning. The Rev. Dwight Willett will officiate.

Pallbearers will be Robert Moore, Allen Mosby, Norris Starkey, William Berry, Tom Woodward and Joe Marksberry.

Burial will be in Crown Hill by the side of the grave of his wife.

Mrs. Mary L. Hereford

Mrs. Mary Lavenia Hereford, widow of the late James F. Hereford, died at 6:45 o'clock Sunday afternoon at her home in LaMonte. She suffered a fractured hip last July and had never walked since.

Mrs. Hereford was born in Lexington, October 10, 1865, a daughter of the Rev. and Mrs. W. B. Todd, both deceased. Her father was pastor of the LaMonte M. E. church in 1901 and 1902.

She was married to Mr. Hereford in Gunn City, Mo., August 14, 1883 and they moved to LaMonte June 27, 1923. Mr. Hereford died August 9, 1928.

Mrs. Hereford leaves one brother,

W. P. Todd, LaMonte, and a half-sister, Mrs. J. S. Pollock, Dodge City, Kas.

Funeral services will be held at 1 o'clock Tuesday afternoon at the home of B. F. Parker, LaMonte, the Rev. C. E. Sullins, pastor of the Methodist church, of which the deceased was a member, to officiate.

The following friends will serve as pallbearers, P. F. Craig, J. H. Bobbitt, C. C. Whitehead, H. M. Price, C. L. Clingan and Floyd Ripley.

Interment will be in the Odessa cemetery.

Funeral of William Ockalay
The funeral of William Ockalay, who passed away at 423 West Sixth street, Friday evening, were held at 2 o'clock Monday afternoon at the Gillespie Funeral Home, with the Rev. Oscar J. Rumpf, pastor of Immanuel Evangelical church, officiating.

Pallbearers were friends. Interment was in Crown Hill cemetery.

Joseph Dick
Word has been received in Sedalia of the death of Joseph Dick, brother of Henry Dick of 405 North Quincy avenue, who passed away at his home, 1020 Bennington, Kansas City, on Saturday.

Surviving are two sons, Everett Dick and Jerry Dick of Kansas City; four daughters, Mrs. Velma Coffey, Los Angeles, Calif.; Mrs. Ruth McConnell, St. Washington; Mrs. Lorine Saunders, Los Angeles, and Miss Arline Dick of Kansas City, and three brothers, Dock Dick of Buncheon; Pete Dick of Tipton and Henry Dick of Sedalia, and one sister, Mrs. Lena Knipp of Tipton.

Funeral services were held at 10 o'clock this morning from the Shell Chapel, and interment was made in the Masonic cemetery at Tipton.

Funeral of E. M. Shields
Funeral services for E. M. Shields, whose death occurred suddenly Friday morning at his home, 306 West Fifth street, were held at 4 o'clock Sunday afternoon at the First Baptist church, the pastor, the Rev. Dwight H. Willett, officiating.

An exceptionally large gathering of relatives and friends assembled for the rites and the minister in his discourse spoke in praiseworthy terms of the exemplary life of the well known deceased.

Floral tributes were numerous and of rare beauty.

Mrs. Charles H. Bard was in charge of the music.

Interment was in Crown Hill cemetery.

Clark L. Holloway

Word has been received here of the death of Clark L. Holloway, a former Sedalia, who died Sunday in Phoenix, Ariz., where he had resided since leaving Sedalia about 16 years ago.

He is survived by two sons, Evan and Lyle, and a sister, Mrs. George Nichols, all of this city.

Funeral services and burial will be in Phoenix.

JOHN LAMY COMPLETES COURSE IN MEDICINE

John Lamy, son of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Lamy, Fifth street and Grand avenue, who has completed the course in medicine at McGill university, Montreal, Canada, is at home for a two weeks visit. He will then go to Vancouver, British Columbia, Canada, to serve his internship at a hospital there.

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Answers Not a Fool According to His Folly, Let Not Also Be Like unto Him.—Proverbs 26:4.

Read The Democrat Want Ads.

LODGES

Sedalia Lodge No. 236 A. F. and A. M. will meet in special communication, Wednesday May 26th, at 2:30 p. m. to give Masonic burial to our late brother John P. Gass. All Master Masons requested to attend.

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ATHLETICS BEAT
JEFFERSON CITY
BY A 3-1 SCORE

Case and Horner Star as
Sedalians Win Third
Straight Game

The Sedalia Athletics bunched three of their six hits in the sixth inning to hand the Jefferson City Tweedie Club a 3 to 1 defeat in the opening home game of the season at Liberty Park Sunday.

Gene Horner, A's pitcher, turned loose his blazing fast ball and had the Cole County team popping up or striking out. He was in only one bad hole, that in the eighth when the visitors scored their only run of the game.

Morris started for the Tweedies but after filling the bases in the first inning was relieved by Slaughter who retired the side without being scored on, with the help of some poor base running by the Sedalians. The Athletics got two hits and two bases on balls the first inning and could not score a run.

The first two Jefferson City batters singled in the first inning but Horner tightened, got one on a foul to Summers and struck out the next two hitters.

As the game went along the two pitchers seemed to be getting better until the sixth inning when the fireworks began. After two were out in the A's half of the sixth, Case banged a long double into left, Zey was hit by a pitched ball, and Livengood shot a single into right scoring Case. Small was hit by a pitched ball, filling the bases. Summers then singled to center field scoring Zey and Livengood.

The visitors scored in the eighth. Horner started the inning by hitting W. Slaughter on the arm. Stringer singled and K. Slaughter cracked a single off Livengood's slams, filling the bases with none out. Horner then fanned Grider, Stokes, and Maxey after W. Slaughter had scored on a short passed ball.

"Tabby" Case, A's outfielder, led the hitters with three blows, two of them doubles, while Stringer and K. Slaughter were the visitors' leading hitters with two safeties each.

Next Sunday the A's will meet Knob Noster Merchants, on June 1 they journey to Columbia for a night game and on June 6 will meet the Kansas City Police team at Liberty Park.

The box score:

Sedalia Athletics									
	AB	R	H	P	O	A	E		
Linn, ss	4	0	1	4	4	0			
Farnes, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0			
Case, lf	4	1	3	0	0	0			
Zey, rf	4	0	0	0	0	0			
Livengood, lb	4	1	1	1	0	0			
Small, 3b	4	0	0	3	0	1			
Summers, c	4	0	1	1	0	0			
Lobaugh, 2b	4	0	0	0	4	0			
Horner, p	3	0	0	1	1	0			
Totals	35	2	7	24	10	1			

Jefferson City Tweedies									
	AB	R	H	P	O	A	E		
Stringer, lf	4	0	2	4	0	0			
K. Slaughter, 3b	4	0	2	1	0	0			
Grider, 2b	4	0	1	2	0	0			
Stokes, cf	4	0	0	0	0	0			
Maxey, lb	4	0	1	1	1	0			
Lau, ss	4	0	1	0	3	1			
Morris, rfp	4	0	0	1	0	0			
McClure, c	4	0	0	5	0	0			
W. Slaughter, p	3	1	0	1	2	0			
Totals	35	1	7	24	8	1			

Score by Innings:
Jefferson City.....000 000 010-1
Sedalia.....000 003 00X-3
Summary: Two base hits—Case 2.

NOTICE OF CHATTEL MORTGAGE SALE

Default having been made in the payment of certain indebtedness described in and secured by chattel mortgage executed by J. A. Rice in favor of John Deere Plow Co., of La. Monte, Mo., dated the 25th day of September, 1935, and of which a true copy was duly filed of record in the office of the Recorder of Deeds of Pettis County, Missouri, on the 30th day of September, 1935, will, at the hour of 1 o'clock p. m. on the 29th day of May, 1937, at the Storage Shed of M. F. Warhambrook in La. Monte, Missouri, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash, and to satisfy said chattel mortgage described to-wit: 1—No. 223 John Deere Disc Tiller. 1—John Deere Engage Seeder. Said property will be at the place of sale and may be there inspected by prospective bidders.

J. Wm. WALSH.

RECEIVER'S NOTICE OF SALE

To Whom It May Concern: Pursuant to authority of the Comptroller of the Currency of the United States, the undersigned William L. Koenig, as Receiver of The Citizens National Bank of Sedalia, Missouri, will offer at public sale to the highest bidder or bidders for cash, at Sedalia, Missouri, on May 28, 1937 at 10 o'clock (A. M.) the remaining assets of the said The Citizens National Bank of Sedalia, Missouri, consisting of (real estate, bills receivable, judgments, overdrafts, and other choses in action and chattels) less such items (or articles) as may be paid or otherwise disposed of prior to the said date of sale herein mentioned. A descriptive list of the remaining assets so offered for sale may be inspected by prospective purchasers at the Third National Bank, Sedalia, Missouri, and at the office of the Receiver of the Citizens National Bank of Sedalia, on all business days up to and including the date of the sale between the hours of 9:00 A. M., and 3:00 P. M.

"According to law, said remaining assets cannot be sold otherwise than without recourse and without warranty of any kind or character, and subject to the approval of the Comptroller of the Currency of the United States, and subject to confirmation by a court of record of competent jurisdiction." (Signed) WILLIAM L. KOENIG, Receiver, The Citizens National Bank of Sedalia, Missouri.

Queen of Northwest



Daisy Statzer
With a three-game score of 564, Daisy Statzer is winner of the northwestern international bowling title. The champion, who is from Eugene, Ore., triumphed recently at the annual tournament in Vancouver, B. C. Her high single game was 232.

Stringer, Grider. Stolen base—Light. Struck out—By Horner 10; by Slaughter 4. Bases on balls—Off Morris 2. Hit by pitched ball—By Horner (Slaughter), by Slaughter (Zey, Small, Lobaugh), Wild pitch—Slaughter. Passed balls—Summers 2.

BRADDOCK-LOUIS FIGHT

TICKETS ON SALE TUESDAY
By The Associated Press.
CHICAGO, May 24.—Tickets for the world's heavyweight boxing contest, June 22 at Comiskey Park between Joe Louis and Champion James J. Braddock will go on sale tomorrow, with Promoter Joe Foley estimating that applications for seats already total \$250,000.

Baseball Results

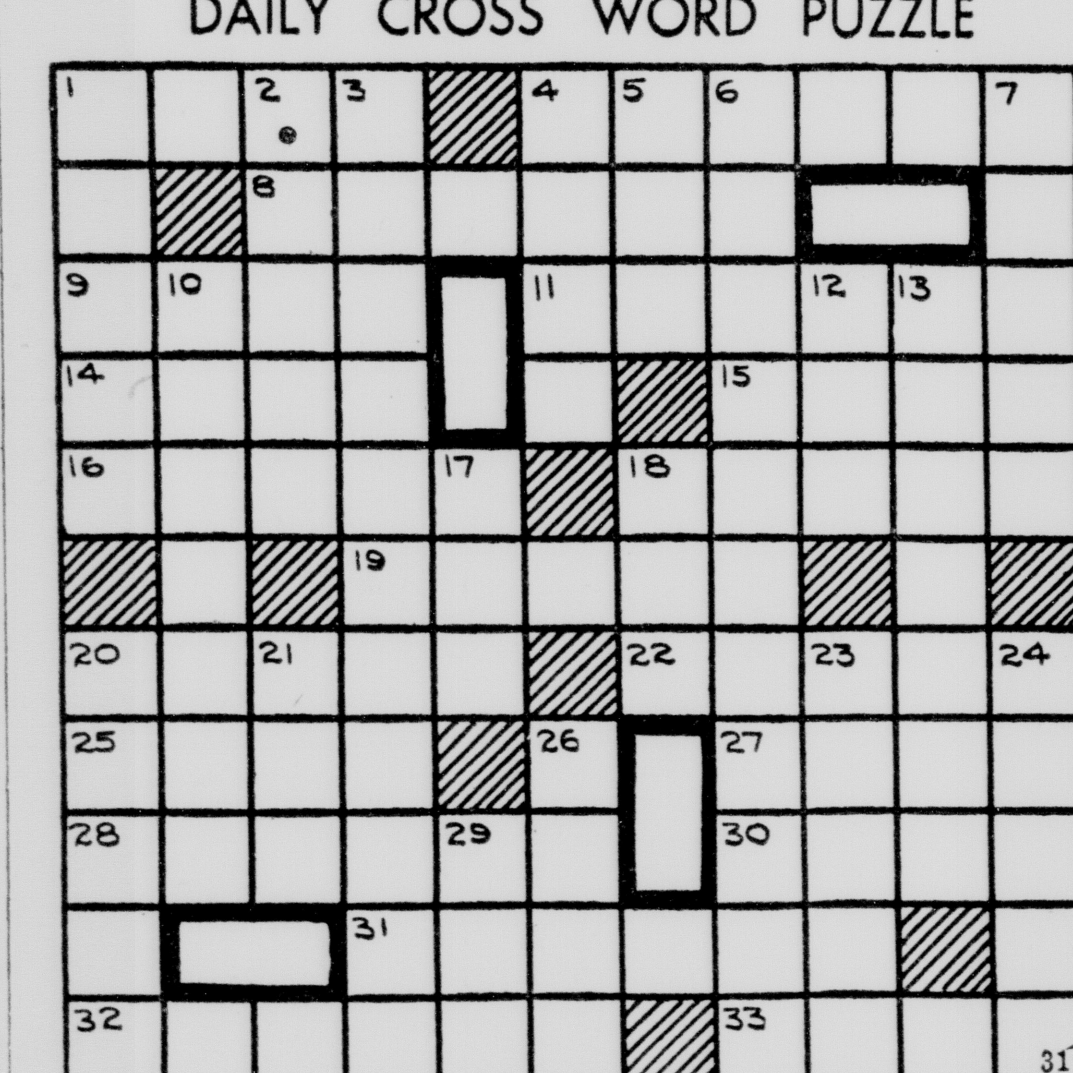
National League									
Chicago 11, Boston 1.									
New York 6, Pittsburgh 5.									
Cincinnati 6, Brooklyn 2.									
St. Louis 6, Philadelphia 2.									

American League									
Philadelphia 6, St. Louis 2.									
Chicago 6, Boston 4 (ten innings.)									
New York 7, Cleveland 3.									
Detroit 13, Washington 3, (called end of 8th, rain.)									

American Association									
Columbus 7-6, Milwaukee 1-5.									
Toledo 6-10, Kansas City 3-13.									
St. Paul 7-2, Indianapolis 4-7.									
Louisville 5-5, Minneapolis 3-1.									

Read The Democrat Want Ads.

DAILY CROSS WORD PUZZLE



- ACROSS**
- 1—To be dull and spiritless
 - 4—An Indian village in Arizona
 - 8—An outsider
 - 9—To scold
 - 11—The California live oak
 - 14—A variety of bivalve mollusk
 - 15—Leave out
 - 16—Assists
 - 18—Double
 - 19—A Rhaeto-Romanic dialect spoken in
 - 20—A religious war against infidels (Moham.)
 - 22—Predicament
 - 25—The south-west wind
 - 27—Calamitous
 - 30—A bright, cherry red
 - 31—Leaps
 - 32—Killed
 - 33—A heavy, stupid fellow
 - 3—Commendably
 - 4—Peep
 - 5—A vase with a foot
 - 6—Met
 - 7—Egg-shaped leaf
 - 10—A woman who keeps an alehouse
 - 12—A mischievous person
 - 13—Pertaining to the Nile river
 - 17—Gloomy
 - 18—Apart
 - 21—Feminine pronoun
 - 23—A dispatch boat
 - 24—One of a division of the western Mongols
 - 26—Bow
 - 29—Prosecute
- Answer to previous puzzle:**
- SIMON DEALS
HAAFBRET
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THE SPORTS
ROUNDUP

(BY EDDIE BRIETZ)

NEW YORK, May 24.—Leo Durocher and Ducky Wucky Medwick of the Cardinals room together and go 50-50 on everything....So when Manager Frankie Frisch asked Durocher what he was hitting, Leo replied 310....and explained it this way: Medwick was clouting the apple at a 440 clip....Durocher's average (pardon us) was 180....That's a total of 620 or 310 apiece....Why is it that Van Mungo's fight with Jimmy Bucher got so much more publicity than the poke Mungo took at Jack Winslet in Boston not so long ago?...A boxing writer for the London Herald called Max Baer's showing against Tommy Farr "too bad to be true."

Did you ever see a Dean balking?...Well, says Jimmy Doyle of the Cleveland Plain-Dealer, Empire Barr did....Nice going, Jimmy....You can get bets along Broadway that either Dolph Camilli of the Phillies or Les Scarsella of the Reds will be playing first for the Giants when they come back from the west....Our Dixie scouts report Riggs Stephenson is getting ready to change his address from Birmingham to Wrigley Field, Chicago....Is that so?... "Slat" Hardin, the Louisiana track star, has ambitions to act in the movies but his voice may keep him out....Babe Ruth's radio contract is reliably reported to call for \$19,500 for 13 weeks....Houston fans are burning up because the Cardinals won't help their suffering club.

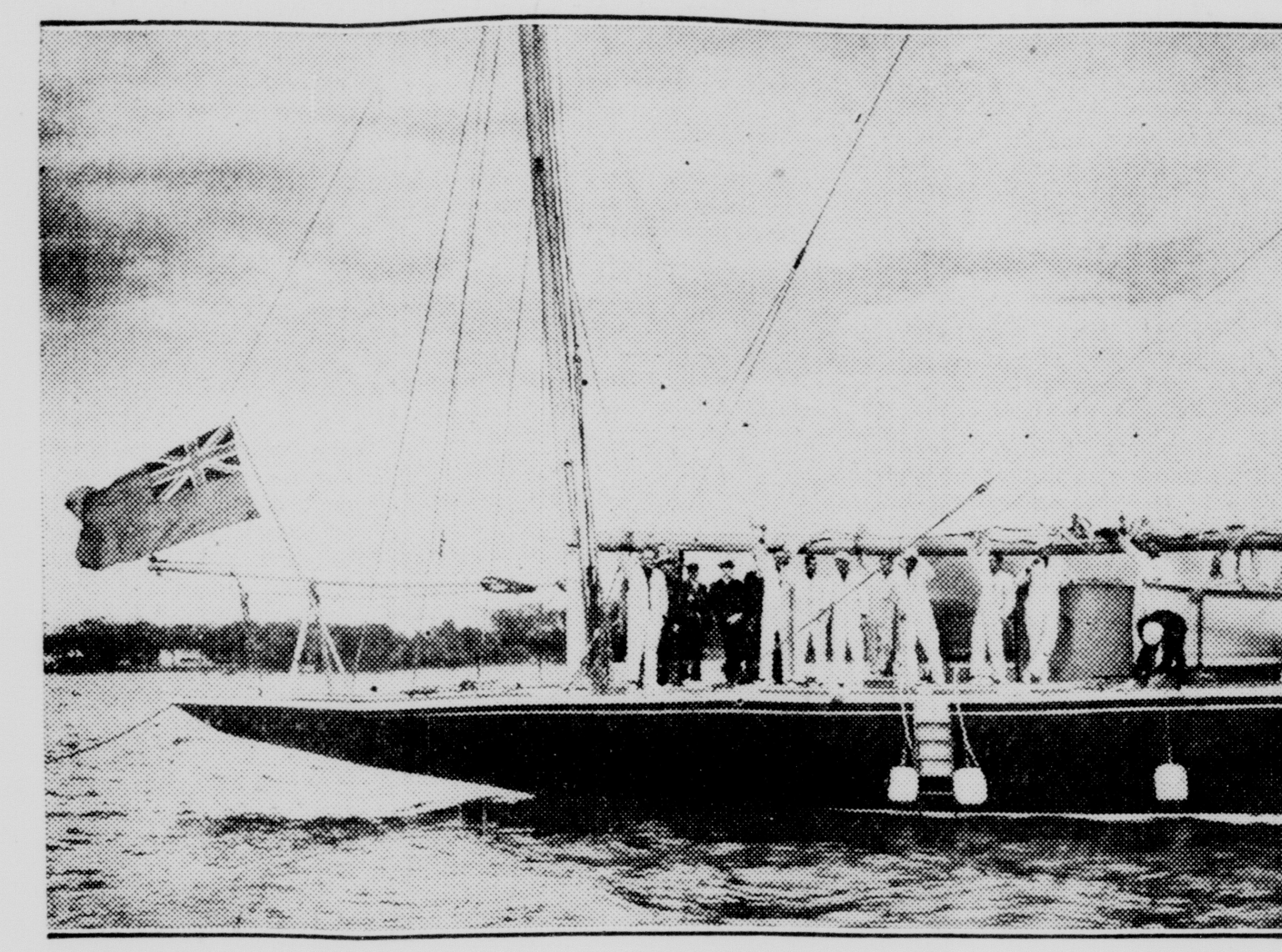
Lynn Waldorf says Northwesters' football prospects aren't so good....Haw! that what the guy said last year....Darrell Lester, crack center at Texas Christian last year, denies he has signed with the Green Bay Packers....Jack Dempsey refereed a bout for Jack Kearns in Detroit the other night....What do you know about that?...Joe Cronin joins Joe McCarthy in agreeing the Detroit Tigers are the team to beat in the American league this year....One Pacific coast writer refers to the Athletics as "Connie Mack's Boy Scouts."....Ball players say Lonnie Frey of the Cubs is the best "tagger" in the National league.

Leroy Mills, lawyer and football kicking expert, is paying regular visits to the Cornell campus to show Carl Snavey's boys a thing or two about the booting art....Oakland Hills at Birmingham, Mich. is in great shape for the national open writes Dale Stafford, sports editor of the Pontiac Press....Attention scouts: Buzz Boehmer, pitching for an independent team in Philadelphia the other day, whiffed 14 batters in six innings....Pop Foster, who knows fighters if anybody does, says Bob Nestell, the coast flash, is a year away from the first flight, but will be a contender for the championship if he isn't rushed.

PACESETTERS IN
THE BIG LEAGUE

American League
Batting—Cronin, Red Sox, .440; Walker, Tigers, .420.
Runs—Greenberg and Gehring, Tigers, 27.
Runs batted in—Greenberg, Tigers, 34; Bonura, White Sox, 33.
Hits—Walker, Tigers, 47; Bell, Browns, 43.
Doubles—Bell, Browns, 17; Vos-

Challenger's Crew Greets America



The crew of the Endeavor II, sleek English challenger for the America's Cup, are shown waving a greeting as they arrived at Bristol, R. I., after a 17-day Atlantic crossing. T. O. M. Sopwith, her owner, is having the challenger overhauled before entering a series of tuning-up races which precede the brush with the American defender.

Tripples — Kubel, Senators, 5; Stone, Senators; Greenberg and White, Tigers, 4 each.
Home runs—Selkirk, Yankees, 7; Johnson, Athletics; Greenberg, Tigers, and Bonura, White Sox, 6 each.
Stolen bases — Walker, Tigers; Chapman, Senators; Appling, White Sox, and Pytlak, Indians, 6 each.
Pitching—Pearson, Yankees, 40; Hodlin, Indians, 3-0.

National League
Batting—Medwick, Cardinals, .423; Arnovich, Phillies, .398.
Runs — Medwick, Cardinals, 28; Galan, Cubs, 25.
Runs batted in—Medwick, Cardinals, 34; Demaree, Cubs, 30.

Tripples — Medwick, Cardinals, 47; Arnovich, Phillies, 45.
Doubles—Hassett, Dodgers, and Medwick, Cardinals, 13.
Tripples — Vaughan, Pirates, 7; Handley, Pirates, 6.
Home runs—Bartell, Giants, 10; Medwick, Cardinals, 8.
Stolen bases—J. Martin, Cardinals, 8; Lavagetto and Brack, Dodgers, 6 each.
Pitching — Hubbell, Giants, 6-0; Warneke, Cardinals, and Bowman, Pirates, 5-1 each.

Roller skating afternoon and nights, 15c. Liberty Park.—Adv.

Smithton Midgets Drop Opener to Postal, 7-5
Despite a home run by "Russ" Middleton with two men on base, the Smithton Midgets dropped a 7 to 5 decision in their opening game Sunday on the Postal diamond.
Batteries for the game were Middleton and Blaylock for Smithton and Barnes and Mirtis for Postal.
For games with the Midgets write Dick Middleton, Beaman, Mo.
Anything to sell? — Somebody wants whatever it is. A for sale ad will get you together. Phone 1000.

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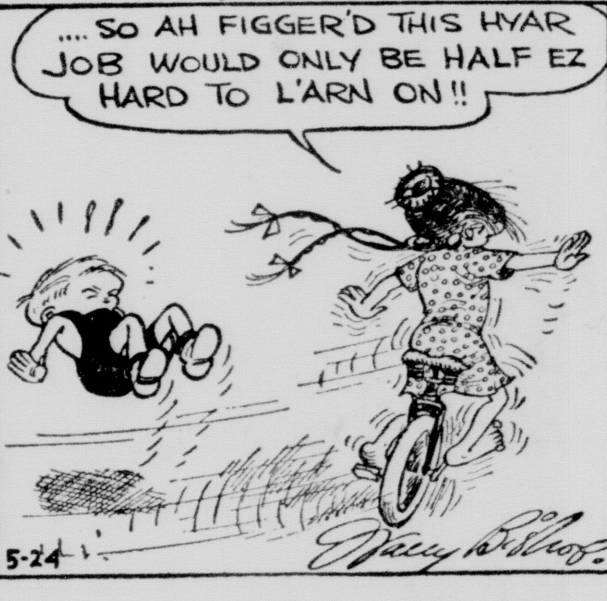
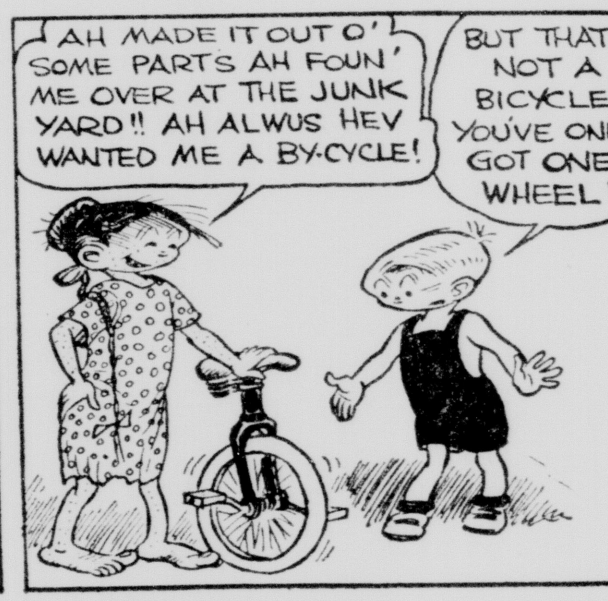
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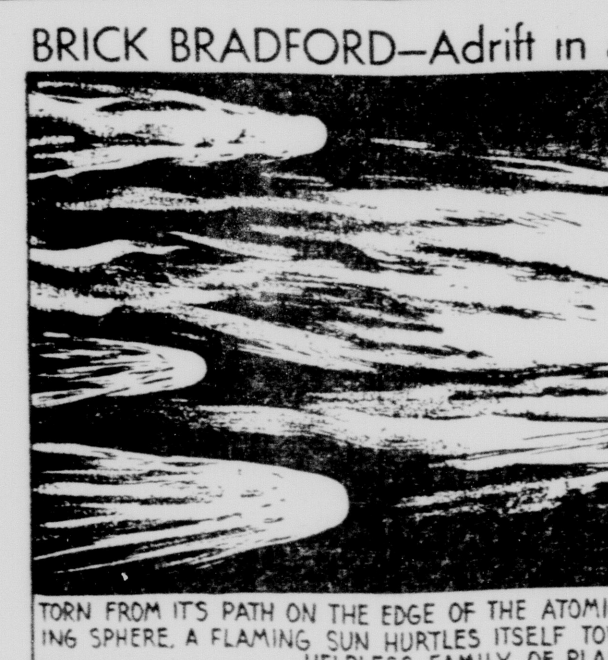
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BRICK BRADFORD—Adrift in an Atom



Baseball Standings

NATIONAL LEAGUE									
	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.		
Pittsburgh	19	8	.704						
St. Louis	16	12	.571						
New York	16	13	.552						
Chicago	15	13	.536						
Brooklyn	12	15	.444						
Boston	10	15	.400						
Cincinnati	10	15	.400						
Philadelphia	11	18	.379						

AMERICAN LEAGUE									
	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.		
Philadelphia	15	9	.625						
New York	16	10	.615						
Detroit	15	12	.556						
Cleveland	12	10	.545						
Washington	13	15	.464						
Chicago	11	14	.440						
Boston	10	13	.435						
St. Louis	8	17	.320						

AMERICAN ASSOCIATION									
	W.	L.	Pct.		W.	L.	Pct.		
Milwaukee	23	9	.719						
Minneapolis	17	16	.515						
Toledo	17	16	.515						
St. Paul	13	16	.448						
Columbus	15	18	.455						
Kansas City	12	15	.444						
Louisville	14	17	.452						
Indianapolis	13	17	.433						

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Decoration Day—Call or drive to Hood's Peony Farm, 16th and Madison. Phone 3472-W. Roy Colaflower.—Adv.

Anderson Golfers Beat
Warrensburg in Team
Match by Single Point

The Anderson Golf Club team nosed out the Warrensburg Country Club, 15½ to 14½, in an inter-club golf match Sunday afternoon on the public course here.

C. L. Johnson of the visitors posted a card of 41-39-80 for medal honors, while Henry Huffman of the Sedalia club was runner-up with 41-41-82.

The lineups of the two teams: Warrensburg—C. L. Johnson, Sol Wenner, W. E. Suddath, H. G. Hueftle, J. C. Reed, G. G. Hopkins, J. R. Miller, John Shively, A. M. Cayton and Harold Howard. Sedalia—Buddy Agniet, L. D. Agniet, Henry Huffman, "Cope" Copenhaver, M. C. Ables, L. A. Agniet, John Nesbitt, W. H. Winrod, Al Fabry and L. M. Chambers. The Sedalians will play a return match at Warrensburg in July.

By The Associated Press.

ST. LOUIS, May 24.—The Cardinals strengthened their unseasoned catching staff today by the purchase of Randolph "Randy" Moore, veteran outfielder and catcher of the Brooklyn Dodgers in a deal for Paul Chervinko, who has been catching for Columbus, Cardinal American Association farm.

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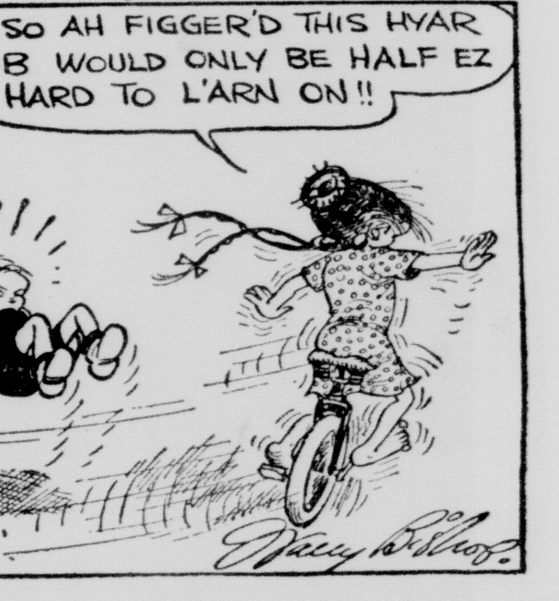
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FORMER STAR IN MOVIE SERIALS VISITS MISSOURI

Pearl White Born at
Green Ridge, Returns
From France

Miss Pearl White, movie star of serial fame, who was born in Green Ridge, Mo., visited Springfield, Mo., her former home last week, and was the subject of a lengthy article in the Springfield Leader.

Miss White, with her French maid, stopped at the Kentwood Arms. She told the reporter she was born at Green Ridge, that she didn't know exactly how old she was when the family moved to Springfield, she thought she was five, but her father told her she was nine. "All I remember," she said, "is that I came to Springfield carrying a bird cage."

"She took up residence abroad somewhat by accident," states the newspaper article, and continues: "That is to say, it became a habit with her. She went to London to appear in a revue, went from there to Paris. She had intended a European tour of only a year. She stayed on and on, and eventually bought a house in Paris. She has no desire to come back to America, and would not be here now, she says, except that she came back to look after her father. The first few days she was here she stayed with him at his home at 625 South National avenue. It was her first visit here in 10 years. Probably, she says, it will be her last."

"She has been married three times."

"My first husband," she says, "was an actor, and he was a good actor, too. My second husband was a Jew. That marriage, she says with a wry smile, 'a tedious two days. My third husband was a major in the army.'"

"And what became of that marriage?"

"He killed himself. He really killed himself in the army, but he didn't know it. He was determined to get in the war. He went in as a private and came out a major. But he was shot in the chest and twice in the head, and he was never the same after the war."

"Now she has a house in Paris, a chateau outside of Paris, and a home in Cairo, Egypt, which is large enough to accommodate an indoor swimming pool. She loves the desert."

"She has a string of racing horses. I have six and a half horses," she said. The half was explained by the fact that she and her trainer own one together. She races them at Bombay, Calcutta and other famous tracks.

"Her hobby is traveling, which she does most of the time. 'There are always places to go,' she says. She speaks five languages fluently, several others after a fashion."

"She has no particular desire to return to acting, and she doesn't," she says, need the money. "I suppose I am what you would call rich."

"Yet she is planning to make a picture next fall. She won't tell the name of the company or the picture. 'I will play a middle aged woman,' she says, 'because that's what I am. I am 45 years old.'"

"Miss White feels that she has gotten what she wanted out of life, and while she is no longer the barefoot girl of 13 who picked strawberries at Nichols Junction, those who knew her will say that she is still the same friendly, unassuming person with a great zest for life."

end in Kirksville with his parents. Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Lansdale.

Mr. and Mrs. James R. Boring and Mrs. G. W. Drake visited in Columbia Monday with their daughter and son, Eloise Boring and Gordon Howard Drake, Kathleen Boring who had visited in Columbia since last Friday returned home with them.

Mrs. G. C. Davis and Miss Lora Davis from Tipton, visited friends here Sunday.

Rev. and Mrs. C. R. Storer and son Lee and Mr. and Mrs. James Atkins and Mary Lou Atkins, returned Sunday evening from New Orleans, where they attended the Southern Baptist convention.

Misses Maude and Leona Hirsch and nieces, Kathleen Josephine and Loretta Hirsch of Jefferson City, visited here Sunday with their mother, Mrs. Anna Hirsch.

Foster Wright of Omaha, Neb., is visiting this week with his parents, Mr. and Mrs. P. M. Wright.

Mrs. Willard Nixon, after visiting relatives here the past week returned Sunday to her home in Chicago, accompanied by her mother, Mrs. Otis Gover for a visit.

Fred Hunt and Mrs. R. B. Peits attended the baccalaureate services for the senior class of Lincoln high school at Lincoln Sunday evening. Their nephew, Harold Hunt is a member of the senior class.

Mrs. Dora Jones of Reno, Nevada, and her son, Mr. and Mrs. Lon Edwards of San Francisco, Calif., arrived Wednesday for a visit with relatives here. Mrs. Jones will be remembered as Miss Dora Smith, sister of Raymond and Thurman Smith.

Miss Christine Rank, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Harvey Rank of Lincoln, and Miss Mearl Nance of Cross Timbers left Tuesday for the state of California. Miss Nance will join her family there and Miss Rank hopes to find employment.

Miss Wanda Bailey left Wednesday for Fresno, Calif., to visit her uncle, Mr. and Mrs. Lemuel Bailey. Mrs. J. S. Phillips returned Wednesday from a week's visit in Kansas City with her niece, Miss Jewell Lindsey.

Mr. and Mrs. E. G. Martin and Paul Martin and Mrs. Harvey Martin were in Nevada Wednesday to visit Harvey Martin, who is a patient at a hospital there. He was able to return home with his family for a short visit.

Rev. Raynor C. Eddins, a former pastor of the Baptist church here, has accepted a call to the Sweet Springs Baptist church. He and Mrs. Eddins have been at Rich Hill for more than a year. They will go to Sweet Springs to take charge of the church about June 1.

Word has been received in Warsaw of the death of W. S. Jackson, age 79, at his home in the state of Colorado. Mr. Jackson, an attorney, was a resident of Warsaw for many years.

PICNIC DINNER AS SCHOOL CLOSURE

The last days of school activities of the Hughesville Consolidated district included a community picnic dinner served at the high school Friday with a program in the morning and a high school and grade school picnics Thursday.

The program included the following numbers:

Mitchell school, Miss Rowena Wheeler, teacher.

Style show—Lester Martin, clerk; Beulah Mae Kinder, Ruth Ann Kelly, Mildred Jean Paxton, Barbara Kinder, Helen Finch, Anna Bell Howard, Mary Charlotte Paxton, Jack Knight and Dale Murray.

"Our Trip Saturday" (sight seeing in Jefferson City, Columbia, Booneville, Fayette, Marshall)—Mary Charlotte Paxton, Annabel Howard, Jack Knight, Dale Murray, Barbara Kinder and Helen Finch.

McCubbin school, Miss Mildred Rages, teacher.

"My First Party"—Margaret Wiseman.

"My Mistake"—Marlin Stephens.

Vocal trio, "When The Dew Is On The Rose"—Coralie Fitzsimmons.

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Piano solo, "Brown Eyed Susan"—Kathryn Rages.

"Fourteen Ninety-Two"—Wallace Lowrey.

Song by school, "Sailor Boy"—High Point school, Mrs. Grover Reno, teacher.

Play, "The 100 Year Cake"—Bethel Crane, Richard Meyer, G. W. Meyer, Gwendolyn Brandhorst, Earl Wayne Mueller, Juanita Murphy and Robert Murphy.

Play, "The Absent Minded Husband"—John Crane, and Harry Meyer.

High school number.

Reading, "Pigs is Pigs"—Nan Powell.

Hughesville school, Miss Lucile Brookhorst, teacher.

Play, "The Cate Family"—Bernice Glasscock, Hazel Forbes, Junior Kinchloe, Clara Wheeler, Gilbert Poese and Mildred Glasscock.

Prairie Valley school, Miss Alma Ruth Chamberlain, teacher.

Chinese play, "Yantze"—Clarence Gray, Roland Templeton, David Hieronymus, Donald Curry, Leola Swope, Velma Templeton, Claude Curry, Clyde Curry, Loretta Haynes and Homer Templeton.

At the close of the program presentations of diplomas to eighth grade graduates and certificates and awards to high school students were made by Superintendent Glen R. Snider.

Eighth grade graduates were: Mary Charlotte Paxton, Jack Knight, Annabel Howard, Dale Murray.

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Masonic Notice
A lodge of instruction under direction of the Grand Lecturer, will be held in the Masonic Temple, Sedalia, Monday, Tuesday and Wednesday, May 24, 25 and 26, beginning at 7:30 p. m. Dinner at 6 o'clock Wednesday evening. All Master Masons are fraternally invited to all sessions.

J. P. HURTT, D. L.

Attention K. of C.
Sedalia Council No. 831 meets the second and fourth Mondays of each month at 7:30 in the K. of C. Building, 4th and Lamine. Always open to members in good standing.

EDWARD S. BEHEN, Grand Knight.
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Walter McClure, Elizabeth McClure, Dorothy Templeton, Jack Fowler, Bernice Glasscock and Richard Meyer.

Certificates, awards and medals were given as follows: grade school spelling, Mildred Glasscock; track, Clarence Thomason and Tillman Peters; basketball, Julian Towler, Clarence Thomason, Tillman Peters, George Lowrey, Lawson Smith and Edward Callis; track for girls, Ruth Owen, Hazel Parkhurst, Dora Dale Siron and Dorothy Stephens; volley ball, Dora Dale Siron, Dorothy Stephens, Mary Elizabeth Swope, Eva Neil Winters, Lorene Thomason, Ruth Schneek, Nan Powell, Ruth Owens, Dorothy Kinder and Elizabeth Wiley; typing, Eva Neil Winters; dramatics, Nan Powell, Elizabeth Wiley, Dorothy Kinder and George Lowrey; declamation, Nan Powell, Clayton Callis, Elizabeth Wiley and Dorothy Kinder; best essay on American history, Ruth Schneek; good citizenship, Harry Smith.

The serving of the dinner was taken care of by a special committee composed of Mrs. Henry Nagel, Mrs. J. O. Kinchloe, Mrs. D. R. Powell, Mrs. Grover Reno and Miss Christianna Garton.

Rummage Sale
At Parish hall, Broadway and Ohio, at 2 o'clock Wednesday afternoon, May 26.—Adv.

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